

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

Elaine Barrie, the hunk of cheese who was on a pleasure trip of many weeks with one John Barrymore, actor, says that psychic forces assured her "he was my man, I was his woman." That tells the story. Now if she will take a real physic to counteract the other psychic she may yet recover from her infatuation.

The way of the transgressor is hard, whether it be the crap shooter, the liquor drinker or the woman chaser. Neither of them is fit to handle the business of another. If a man is to fill a position of trust he must walk the straight and narrow path.

The last carnival company occupying the Rodes pasture south of the city, left an unusual lot of paper, cartons and other trash on the ground that should have been raked up in a pile and burned. As long as the American Legion has been sponsoring these carnivals it seems as though they should clean up after them, or see that the carnival folks do it.

The Standard is anxious to find a place in a small family for a young woman who is competent to care for house and look after a small child or two.

Lora A. Myers, Jeannes Supervisor of negro schools in Scott county is in receipt of a check for \$35.00 from the secretary of the Missouri State Fair in payment for the display of a needle work exhibit at the fair by negro children of the school of Scott county. This money will be used principally to secure materials for the schools who expect to make an exhibit at the state fair again in 1936. Many compliments were paid the exhibit as presented in August and officials have set aside three booths for next year instead of the one this time, and the Supervisor expects to use one of the booths for fancy needle work. In years past there has been no display made at the State Fair by negro schools, Scott county being the only one and the encouragement given our negro schools is duly appreciated. Miss Myers has been maid to the matron of the State building the last two fairs, therefore has been on the ground to properly arrange the display.

Mr. and Mrs. "Skeeter" Johnson of Washington, D. C., passed through Sikeston Thursday forenoon and called at The Standard office, but we regret we were out at the time. They were on their way from points in Mississippi to Nebraska, for a visit. Mr. Johnson is employed in Senator Pat Harrison's office under Miss Catherine Blanton.

The male quartet out of St. Louis who gave a program at Rev. Collin's Methodist church in this city the first four days of this week, was much enjoyed by those who heard them. Their songs were classed as spirituals and their harmony was perfect. Quite a sprinkling of white folks were present to hear them.

Complaint has been made to The Standard of the condition of certain sections of North Ranney Street where the new water line has been placed. The earth has settled leaving chuck holes that are dangerous to persons riding in automobiles. This may be up to the foreman of the gang laying the pipe line, or it may be up to the street commissioner, anyway it should be put in proper order to avoid a possible suit against the city.

The civilized world should pray that the Ethiopians may win the war, started by Mussolini to annex their country. May raging storms, pestilence, insects, vandrants and bullets take liberal toll of the Italians, and the knives of the amazons mutilate all captives as they did forty years ago.

U. S. Forest Service officials are urging that rangers "be on their toes" and ready for action in case of fire reports from the field. "Fire is Public Enemy Number One of the Forest Service" E. W. Tinker, Regional Forester, said last week in addressing his fire prevention and fire-fighting organization at Milwaukee. CCC road and planting crews are trained for fire-fighting duty upon call, and this means quick get away to fires. "While the season has been very favorable since last June, the hazard will increase from now on. There has been a heavy rainfall which has brought a rank growth of grass. Unless rains continue running grass fires may result in conflagrations. The first frost dries up the grass and leaves which become highly inflammable and ignite from the slightest spark of a pipe or cigarette, Mr. Tinker cautioned."

The new Navy submarine plane given performance tests a short time ago, is now back at the Leaning plant for modifications. The plane was exclusively designed with a wing span of 100 feet, to be carried on submarines. It has a wing span when opened of fifty-two feet; maximum speed is one hundred and twenty miles per hour. When folded for storage it can be compressed to fit in a circle of about eight feet in diameter.

The vanity of being known to be entrusted with a secret is generally one of the chief motives to disclose it.—Samuel Johnson

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Await Approval For 48 National Guard Armories

Jefferson City, Oct. 2.—Construction of forty-eight National Guard armories in Missouri under the Works Progress Administration program is awaiting approval in Washington of a \$1,253,195 allotment.

Adj.-Gen. Harold W. Brown said today that neither he nor Matthew S. Murray, state WPA director, had been advised when action on the proposed statewide project would be acted upon by President Roosevelt's allotment board.

"A blanket request for the allotment was made by Mr. Murray," General Brown said, "and it may be that we will have to make separate requests for each armory."

The Adjutant General pointed out that no allotment had been brought under the WPA program for an armory at Kansas City because a large structure had been

planned for that city, and Murray was limited to \$25,000 requests.

Brown said Kansas City had sought \$500,000 for an armory under the Public Works Administration program, but did not know whether this project was approved. Proposed sites for the armories, under the WPA program, are:

St. Louis, St. Joseph, Springfield, Columbia, Maryville, Sedalia, Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff, Hannibal, Jefferson City, Marshall, Carthage, Nevada, Mexico, Booneville, Kirksville, Warrensburg, Fayette, Charleston, Chaffee, West Plains, Dexter, Festus, Marston, Steele, Caruthersville, Hayti, Farmington, Bloomfield, Kennett, Bernie, Desoto, Doniphan, Sikeston, Monett, Aurora, Lamar, Pierce City, Neosho, Anderson, Webb City, Sarsco, Clinton, Albany and Burlington Junction.

Residents To Appear On Masonic Meet Program

Several Sikeston residents will appear on the program at a quarterly dinner meeting of members of the fiftieth district Masonic association at the Methodist church Tuesday evening.

They include Dr. G. W. H. Pressnell, who will deliver an address of welcome; Mrs. H. E. Reuber, who will sing; Mrs. John Fox, worthy matron of the Sikeston Eastern Star chapter, who will give a reading; Mrs. E. H. Orear, who will also sing; and the Rev. E. H. Orear, who will give a benediction.

Before dinner is served at 6:45 by members of the Sikeston O. E. S. chapter, persons attending will sing "America", accompanied by

Mrs. Rubby Mott, and the Rev. D. M. Margraves will give an invocation.

H. M. Flannery, president of the association will respond to Dr. Pressnell's welcoming speech. Addresses will be given by the Rev. C. H. Morton of Cape Girardeau and by Ray B. Lucas of Benton and a musical reading by Miss Frances Marie Harman, Southeast Missouri representative of the Children's Home Society of S. Louis.

Ralph F. Anderson, Tanner C. Dye, and F. E. Mount, members of a committee on arrangements, have invited all district Master Masons and their wives and women friends to attend.

15 Education Projects Were In Operation When Program Was Stopped

Fifteen adult education projects were in operation in Scott county when the education program was halted Monday, according to Mrs. Esther Marshall Greer, master teacher for the county.

In Sikeston, Mrs. Minnie Smith and Myrtle Reed, a negro woman, were conducting literacy classes; Mrs. Rivers Tanner, a general adult education course; and Mrs. Della Poe of Oran, classes in home hygiene.

Mrs. Gladys Cummins of Morley, Miss Eva Sherfield of Farmington, Mrs. Lora McLain of Oran, and Miss Elizabeth Cahoon and Miss Anna Koller of Chaffee were teaching literacy classes in their own towns. In Chaffee, as well, Miss Opal Allen was conducting a parent education course;

Mrs. Celia Montgomery and Mrs. Rena Miller, general adult education classes; and Dewitt Harmon, a class in music. Mrs. Julia C. Clare had charge of a vocational education class at Vanduser.

Mrs. Greer, who supervised classes throughout the county, said Wednesday that all instructors are continuing their work without pay. The last of the classes was organized only on September 18.

The program was stopped Monday by the FERA, which has had charge of it since it was first begun. Education classes are expected to be resumed again soon throughout the state under the direction of the works progress administration.

Markel Convicted Of Manslaughter; Fined \$700

Dr. F. S. Markel, a 70-year-old—Allenville physician, was convicted of manslaughter and his punishment set at a \$700 fine by a Scott county circuit court jury that heard his case this week. Dr. Markel was granted ten days to file a motion for a new trial and to show good cause why it should be allowed.

Jurors returned a verdict at 10:30 Thursday morning after they had received the case late Wednesday afternoon. About fifty witnesses testified during the trial which began Tuesday.

Dr. Markel was charged with shooting Walter Givens, an Allenville youth, to death on Christmas eve, 1931. In 1932 he was convicted of second degree murder and sentenced to serve ten years in the penitentiary. A new trial was granted following an appeal, but since that time the case has been continued because of the physician's illness.

At this week's trial, Dr. Markel contended that he merely shot a loaded gun into the air by his store while he was celebrating the coming of Christmas. The state established however, that five shots had been fired into a board fence near the place where boys were throwing firecrackers and that the bullet which entered Givens' brain, killing him, was discharged from Dr. Markel's gun. This last testimony was given by Thomas N. Lewis, a St. Louis ballistics expert. Dr. Mar-

kel is also alleged to have shot a second youth in the neck.

E. M. Dearing of Potosi, judge of the twenty-first judicial circuit, presided at the trial, and Prosecutor Elmer Strum of Cape Girardeau county, represented the state. Jurors were Frank Williams, John Little, Andy Welter, Howard Kirkpatrick, Joe Welter, W. R. Lemmons, A. H. Deinken, U. R. Milam, Fred Gardner, Carlyle Bradford, H. L. Fields, and Jake Smith.

Dr. Markel's attorneys were James Finch and R. L. Ward.

The Ohio Division of Conservation is making an appeal to farmers and landowners to save "den trees." A dead tree may be a "den tree" and valuable as the home of some wild creature, squirrel, coon, or even the woodpecker. Many sportsmen's organizations are planning to arrange with farmers the lease or even the purchase of den trees to be left standing as a part of the wildlife conservation plan. This is an excellent idea and is recommended to all states and sportsmen's groups the "American Game" says.

M. C. North, fishing with a hand line and a 7-C hook, caught a 60-pound catfish in Current River a few miles below Doniphan. Jerry Price, a neighbor assisted North in landing the fish, after a terrific struggle.

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"



Ruth Chatterton, Columbia star, was a child prodigy, and created a sensation at the age of 9 when she gave a piano recital at Carnegie Hall, New York.



RIDDLE—
Who's a city editor in the morning,
a middle-aged producer in the afternoon,
and a decrepit banker in the evening?

ANSWER—
Thurston Hall! He acted the first role in "Atlantic Adventure," the second in "The Girl Friend" and the third on the same evening in "She Married Her Boss."

Italian-Ethiopian Air War Is On

Geneva, Oct. 3.—The dreaded started today, in the view of the war between Italy and Ethiopia League of Nations, with official Ethiopian reports of an Italian air bombardment of Ethiopian villages and a battle raging in Agame province.

That a state of war existed, if not officially declared, was considered by League officials to be evident in a message from the government of Premier Mussolini referring to the "warlike and aggressive spirit" fomented by leaders of Ethiopia "who have long been demanding war with Italy and who have succeeded in imposing war."

The League Council was officially convoked for an emergency session Saturday morning to deal with the conflict.

Addis Ababa, Oct. 3.—Italian military planes bombed two Ethiopian towns today, killing and wounding a number of civilians, an official communique said soon after Emperor Haile Selassie proclaimed general mobilization of his 10,000,000 subjects.

A battle raged in Agame Province, the communique reported, after destruction of property as well as death to women and children in bombardments of Aduwa—where an Italian expeditionary force was crushed 40 years ago—and Adigrat.

The King of Kings, whose general mobilization order set his native followers on the march to the front, protested to the League of Nations, alleging a violation by Italy of Ethiopia's frontiers, and a rupture of the League covenant.

Rasse Youm, governor of East Tigre Province, bordering on Italy's colony of Eritrea where nearly a quarter of a million Italian troops have been massed, conveyed the first news of the bombardment to the Emperor and reported that the results of the still-raging battle were unknown.

While historic Aduwa, Ethiopia's "Verdun," slept in the morning hours of today, Mussolini's airplanes bombarded the city, the government announcement said, as a prelude to what might prove one of the most bloody wars in the history of the dark continent of Africa.

Word that numbers of women and children non-combatants were killed and injured horrified the King of Kings who dispatched his protest to the League immediately.

The Conquering Lion of Judah was reported to have sent four regiments of 50,000 soldiers to Aussa, to meet an eventual Italian attack near Mussa Ali, where the Ethiopian government said it had established that Italian troops already had penetrated.

The Emperor's proclamation was read from the balcony of his palace by his chancellor, Haile

Wolderoufe after an emergency session of his crown council.

Over the primitive communication systems of all Ethiopia—by drums, couriers and town criers—the word spread, uniting Christians, Mohammedans, Pagans and Jews in a call to the colors to defend the independence of Ethiopia against Italy.

Masses of Ethiopian warriors already held positions on distant frontiers of the empire, bordering on Italy's colonies of Eritrea and Somaliland, where 200,000 Italian troops had been massed by Premier Benito Mussolini.

The proclamation thrilled the martial Ethiopians especially because through the centuries they regarded war as a sacramental duty.

As the King of Kings pronounced the empire's first mobilization in 38 years, the news spread throughout the capital. Town criers read the decree on every corner.

At the same time the decree was published in towns and villages throughout the entire country.

The spirit of war seemed to seize even the churches, where bells tolled out while priests said prayers for victory.

The proclamation automatically released for national defense an enormous secret war treasure left by former Emperor Menelik.

The war chest left by Emperor Menelik included ten million gold lira indemnity, paid to Menelik after his victory at Aduwa in 1896.

Feudal chiefs, dressed in lion skins, together with thousands of lesser warriors girded with swords and rhinoceros shields, listened with tense nerves and grim countenances to the solemn call to arms.

Aides to the conquering Lion of Judah had estimates that at least two million warriors among Ethiopia's ten million men, women and boys would answer the call.

The mobilization day dawned brilliantly, and the hot African sun dissipated rain clouds enveloping the mountain and dried up the muddy streets.

People of the most remote villages of the kingdom ranging from Paran Negroes of Wallega Province, who eat alligators, to the wild tribes of Wallamo Province, who devour hippopotami, were shaken out of their lethargic existence into a frenzy of patriotism.

Mortal enemies, embittered by long unsettled family and personal feuds, buried the hatchet in their common desire to save the fatherland.

Native bards playing Biblical harps and chanting the Psalms of David aroused patriots to the

CARE TAKEN IN CERTIFYING RELIEF APPLICANTS SINCE ALL CAN'T GET WPA WORK

GRAVEL IN STOCKPILE PROJECT TO BE LET

Numerous projects for placing gravel in stockpiles in counties of the state highway department's tenth division are included in a list of work for which contracts will be let soon.

The letting will be the second to be held involving the works progress administration. Throughout the state 267 miles of roadway will be constructed at an estimated cost of \$1,630,800.

Eight and four tenths miles of concrete pavement will be built, 234 miles of gravel, 11.4 miles of gravel haul, and 13.3 miles of graded earth. Only the graded earth and gravel haul projects are to be undertaken with WPA funds.

Gravel in stockpiles projects will be let in Bollinger, Butler, Dunklin, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, and Wayne Counties, and graded earth in Butler.

highest pitch of martial ardor with their plaintive music.

As women heard the cry they broke into militant song, pounded drums and fired their men with the spirit of sacrifice and bravery.

It was a solemn day for all. Grey-bearded, bent heroes of Aduwa, now too old to go back to the wars, gave their magic amulets to sons and grandsons. They believe these talismans make the invulnerable to Italian gunfire.

Thousands of sheep were being slaughtered and their blood blessed by priests as sacrifice for victory.

Women of all degrees placed their babies in the care of elders and prepared food and goat's tallow for the march. Their menfolk packed buffalo skin blankets which also serve as beds.

BULLDOGS WILL PLAY CAPE CENTRAL TONIGHT

All members of the Bulldog football squad will go tonight to Cape Girardeau, where the Sikeston team will meet the strong Central high school players at Houck field stadium. These four men who have been injured in scrimmage will probably play for only a short time; Beal, an injured foot; G. B. Greer, hip; and Putnam and Walker, ankles. Next Friday, the Bulldogs will meet the Humes high squad of Memphis, Tenn., here for their first home game of the season.

Johnson Installs Legion Officers

Earl Johnson, a district American Legion committee member, went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening to preside at installation of new officers elected by members of the Louis K. Jaden post. Oscar Kaiser is the new commander.

Smith Denied New Trial

Floyd Smith of Cape Girardeau was formerly sentenced to life in prison Tuesday for the murder May 8 of W. T. Carlton after a motion for a new trial had been overruled. J. Henry Caruthers, Smith's attorney, appealed to the state supreme court, but since no bond was provided for Smith he was ordered transferred to the penitentiary in Jefferson City until action is taken on the appeal. Smith was convicted in the Scott county circuit court last month.

VESPERS WILL BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL OCT. 13

A vespers service will be held in the high school auditorium at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, October 13, Superintendent Roy W. Ellis announced this week. Members of the mixed chorus and of the orchestra who will attend the Southeast Missouri teachers' meeting in Cape Girardeau later this month will perform.

Junior Chamber Holds Dance

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and their guests danced in the Marshall hotel dining room after a regular weekly dinner meeting Tuesday evening. About fifty attended.

JESSE COTTON HEADS JUNIOR CLASS AT H. S.

At a meeting Monday afternoon, members of the junior class of the high school chose Jesse Cotton as class president. Mr. Cotton, who came here this fall from Winona, Miss., is a member of the Bulldog football squad.

Lucille Moll was elected vice-president; Mary Helen Johnson of Bertrand, secretary; and Mary Allard, treasurer. Miss Frances Burch was chosen sponsor.

Because works progress administration funds allotted to Missouri for undertaking WPA projects will be insufficient to care for all employables, great care must be taken in determining the actual need of all applicants for relief. A. H. Harrison, special representative in this district for the Missouri relief commission, stated in a letter sent to visitors Tuesday.

"The present influx of relief applications caused by certain economic conditions and other contributing factors places a very grave burden upon the personnel of the Commission," Mr. Harrison wrote.

"Under date of September 20, 1935, Mr. Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator, issued a bulletin stating that final approval of approximately twice as many projects has been made as can be financed with available funds. Consequently, it is readily admitted that the funds allocated to the Works Progress Administration of the State of Missouri will not be sufficient to afford employment to all of the employables on the relief rolls and certified as of May 31, 1935."

For this reason, Mr. Harrison has requested visitors to check carefully the histories of applicants. "Under no circumstances," he wrote, "shall a client be certified as eligible for employment to the Works Progress Administration unless he or she has a definite relief need which must be established by a personal investigation on the part of the visitor."

Missouri was allotted \$96,000,000 for WPA work, but since almost half of this total has already been "earmarked" for certain programs, including CCC camps and adult education, the actual sum left for WPA projects is only about \$52,000,000, Mr. Harrison said.

Officials of the WPA labor division and of the national re-employment service are having difficulty in obtaining proper registration of certified relief clients at the county NRS headquarters. In Sikeston, some clients, through misunderstanding, have failed to register with the NRA even though E. R. Ryan, Scott county's NRS representative, came here Wednesday to interview clients. Because of the difficulty, Mr. Harrison has authorized visitors to withhold direct relief from all certified employables clients who have not yet registered.

How persons who cannot be given WPA work will be cared for is not yet known here. "The Missouri Relief Commission and its agencies are definitely charged with the future administration of relief to be conducted under the same policies and regulations as were enforced in the past, irrespective of religious, political, or other influences that might be detrimental to the entire program," Mr. Harrison wrote in his letter.

Members of the Apollo group will convene today (Friday) for their fall meeting. At 1 o'clock they will attend a luncheon at the Marshall Hotel, and at 3 they will go to the home of Mrs. H. J. Welsh for an afternoon program. These women will present the program: Mrs. Sam Gaston, Mrs. V. L. Bowles, Mrs. A. J. Goetz, Mrs. E. K. Ponder, Mrs. H. G. Sharp, Mrs. I. L. Parrett, Mrs. R. A. Moore, Mrs. F. W. Van Horne, and Mrs. B. F. Blanton.

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ADULT EDUCATION WORK IN STATE TO BE RESUMED SOON

Jefferson City, Oct. 1.—The FERA adult education program, which was discontinued in Missouri because of lack of funds, will be resumed under the Works Progress Administration, Alfred C. Moon, WPA director of education announced today.

He said the program would be "carried on just as soon as a project now pending in Washington was approved."

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Ex-Judge Jerry Mulloy of St. Louis county, lost \$1450 in a road house after drinking a glass of beer that he believed had been drugged. A road house was a fine place for an ex-law officer to be found. He got just about what was coming to him and besides what was he doing with that much money on his person.

Up to noon Tuesday, the old age assistance board had received 457 applications. The next meeting will be held at the Court House Tuesday, October 8, at which time the board hopes all applications will be filed. None of these applications have been forwarded to Jefferson City as orders were issued to hold them until called for.

Personal and Society News From Oran

Miss Jessie Mason came up from Skeston Saturday night to spend Sunday with home folks. Mrs. Dillingham, Mrs. Earl Crader and Misses Ileen McCord and Thelma Steele shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday afternoon. Born, Friday night at 7 o'clock a 7 pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Evan (Bud) Stigall. The mother before her marriage was Miss Lucille Graviatt. This is the first granddaughter in the Clarence Graviatt family and the little baby was accorded a hearty welcome.

Miss Betty Jenkins and grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Halter were on the sick list last week. Mrs. W. B. Myers was a recent visitor in Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Moore Greer of Skeston was a guest of Mrs. Lora McLain Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Hopper was here from Skeston Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Chas. Watkins and daughter, Mrs. Odda Dunning, and small daughter, Joan, Mrs. Mary Shingler, Mrs. Philip Streblor and daughter, Miss Lorene, were among the Oranites shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bryeans moved last week into rooms at the home of Mrs. Clay.

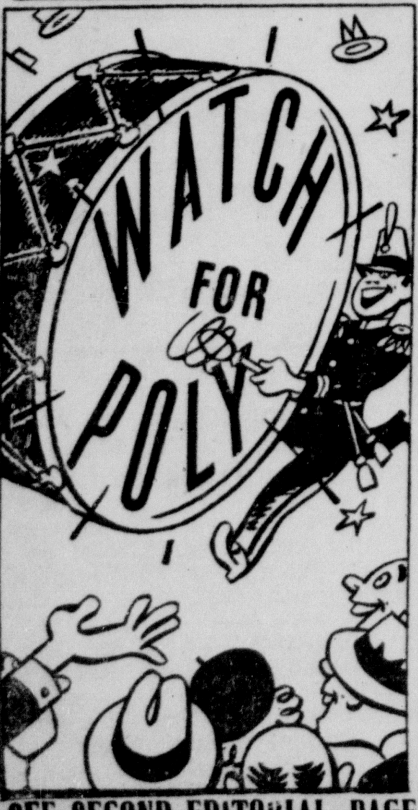
There was a sale of household goods Saturday afternoon at the home of Grandma Menz, who will make her home with her children. Mr. and Mrs. Resel, who have been living in rooms at the Claude O'Connor home, moved into the Menz dwelling.

Rev. Roland, Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Ellis, of St. Louis have been spending a few days at the Geo. Stier home. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Stier. They returned to St. Louis, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason and Mrs. Sam Tindal were business visitors in Cape Girardeau Saturday morning.

Dick Alfultis is spending this week in Farmington on business. Mrs. Chs. Watson daughter Helen and son Paul Davis, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Dick Alfultis home.

A pretty double wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon when Miss Grace McCarty became the bride of Earl McAllister and Miss Imogene Pobst of Wanduser and Harold Graviatt were married. The ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. Smith in Skeston. The young men are in the trucking business. Miss Olive Harper is home from St. Louis where she has been the past year in nurses' training.



Report Shows Missouri Projects Completed In Former Work Program

Now that the works progress administration has assumed control of all work programs and the Missouri relief commission is responsible only for direct relief, officials have reviewed their accomplishments since President Roosevelt approved the emergency relief and reconstruction act on July 21, 1932, but particularly during their administration of the former work program.

Since federal aid was first granted in September, 1932, about \$87,000,000 has been disbursed for relief in Missouri. A total of \$1,158,118 was spent during the last four months of 1932, funds released through the ERRA, which authorized the reconstruction finance corporation to lend states money for emergency relief.

The setup was changed in May, 1933, with the creation of the FERA and with abrogation of repayment provisions of the 1932 act substitution of outright grants to states. Under the FERA, relief committees were established in 110 counties to work under the supervision of Wallace Crossley, Missouri administrator of the program.

The work program, which officials now review, was ended on July 1 because of a marked reduction in federal allotments. Numerous of the commission's other activities have been shifted to other agencies until it has jurisdiction over only one form of relief.

The direct relief problem is acute, however. After November 1, President Roosevelt has announced, federal allotments for direct relief will end and the burden of caring for unemployables will fall on the state and counties. "On September 1, we had a case load of 131,000 resident families and single non-family residents," a report states. "Of this number, something over 90,000 have been certified as able-bodied and eligible for employment under WPA. It is a matter of grave doubt, however, that WPA will be able to employ so many, even at its peak, and certainly not by November 1. With the coming of winter both the relief load and relief costs will increase. There will be no less than 50,000 cases—more than 200,000 persons—on the Missouri relief rolls who must be cared for when WPA is going full blast." Because many

C. L. Blanton, Jr., of Skeston was here Saturday.

Mrs. Blanche Deever and daughter, Mrs. Vanita Koppert and granddaughter, Phyllis Jean Koppert, all of Corinth, Mississippi, visited Sunday with Mrs. Deever's sister, Mrs. Frank Mier.

A fine crowd of delegates from Skeston, Benton, Chaffee and Fomfelt attended the zone meeting of the Women's Missionary Society here last week. An interesting program was rendered. Lunch was served by the Oran ladies in the church basement.

Mrs. Barry Finley and Mrs. Wm. Meinberg of St. Louis came Saturday to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Driskil.

counties are unable to assume their load and because the commission has already spent half of a \$6,000,000 appropriation made by the last general assembly, which enacted a one percent sales tax measure to raise the necessary unemployables will be cared for is not yet entirely clear.

Much has been accomplished with relief money granted for undertaking and completing the former works program, however. For that reason, a detailed report of activities during little more than a year is printed below.

At the close of the Civil Works Administration the Work Division was established to finish projects left in a state of incompletion and to provide work relief on a gradually diminishing basis for the months of April and May (1934). Headed by Dr. H. A. Buehler, State Geologist, whose services were lent to the commission by Governor Park shortly after the beginning of CWA, this division was a continuation of the engineering and project department that had been set up during the earlier program.

With the advent of the drought, work grew in scope, and its rigid, two months' program was expanded, touching complex social and economic problems throughout the state.

"Under Dr. Buehler's jurisdiction was the general planning and supervision of all projects and activities concerned with providing work for those persons whose eligibility for relief was certified by the Social Service Division. Projects comprise all types of public construction, including buildings, roads, bridges, a sanitary works, recreational facilities, schools, and other types of construction. Also, under the supervision of this department were the so-called white-collar projects, many production-for-use projects, such as mattress factories and sewing rooms, was a department under this division. In fact, all of the departments and programs that utilized work labor, such as canning factories, emergency employment of school teachers, safety engineering and education, water conservation, and construction and production projects in connection with the rural rehabilitation program—all these manifold activities were intimately related and coordinated through the Work Division. Administration of the division fell under two general headings: Project planning and technical detail, which was handled by engineers in the state office; and field supervision and counsel, that was handled by a staff of district field engineers with a direct line of responsibility extending into each county where work supervisors and county engineers were responsible for actual construction practice and work performance.

The sudden termination of Civil Works left many projects incompleted and the first task of the Work Division was to complete unfinished projects, or at least, to put them in such condition as to remove any hazard that might have resulted from their having been left incomplete. The drought, affecting greatly the extension of work relief into strictly rural communities and the planning of projects to alleviate drought distress. Primarily, the funds expended by the commission were justified on the basis of relief giving; the needy were permitted to work out their budgetary deficiency, pre-determined by social service investigation. Thus, for example, farmers were allowed to work for seed to replant fields devastated by the drought made necessary certain divergence from this simple plan and the result was the initiation of certain special programs and in this group of programs were the corn fodder and seed corn projects, cattle handling and meat conservation, well drilling and water conservation and development.

In all, more than 9500 work relief projects were operated during the period between April 1, 1934, and July 25, 1935. These projects were thoroughly distributed as to sphere of activity. The drastic curtailment in federal allotments, necessitating the closing of the work program and the releasing of personnel, so far has precluded a final audit of completion reports and the compilation of accurate statistics on the physical accomplishments of the program.

However, from records so far gathered, and estimates from other sources, some of the results in various fields of activity can be approximated. Road construction and repair comprised the largest classification of projects. Repairs, ranging from spot graveling of mud holes to the construction of drainage structures and high type gravel surface, were made on 75,000 miles of rural roads. More than 1000 miles of streets in small towns and cities were improved. A total of over 200 miles of roads and streets was built. Thirty-five miles of new paving and 35 miles of surface repair to paving were laid. These mileages are exclusive of work done under cooperative projects with the State Highway Department—a program started early in September, 1934, with the idea of building farm-to-market roads and continued through July. The Highway Department report on the accomplishments of this activity has not been completed but preliminary estimates show the following: Clearing and graveling, 266 miles; grading, 348 miles; gravel and crushed stone surface, 219 miles; surveys, 123 miles. In addition, the Highway Department used relief labor in maintenance projects in 72 counties and on scattered landscaping projects, such as setting shrubbery along right-of-way etc. The Highway Department furnished the materials and supervision on this program, expending \$1,171,457.86 while relief expenditures for labor amounted to \$669,549.46. More than 200 bridges and

large culverts were constructed and twice that number were repaired.

There were projects for building 11 rural school houses, 13 consolidated school houses, and 4 city schools. Other projects were executed for repairing or improving more than 500 rural, 200 consolidated and nearly 200 city school properties. Projects entailing construction of, or repairs to, 250 other public buildings were undertaken. These include county court houses, municipal power plants, city halls, relief offices, and other publicly owned structures.

Sanitation and flood control projects were developed, especially in the lowland region of Southeast Missouri. Sanitary work in connection with malarial control resulted in the clearing of more than 400 miles of drainage ditches. In addition, 60 projects for repairs or improvement to ditches, levees, and riprapping were undertaken in anticipation of the spring floods of 1935. During the high water period, emergency projects provided for the patrolling of 70 miles of major levees along the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers.

Other sanitation projects included the erection of five sewage plants, the laying of 100 miles of sewer lines, and the construction of more than 1500 sanitary privies.

Public utility projects resulted in the laying of more than 40 miles of water mains, 2 power lines, several municipal power plants and many wells and cisterns in rural areas. This does not include the laying of emergency pipe lines, the drilling of wells and installation of pumping stations—all undertaken as emergency drought relief. A total of 1478 well drilling operations was undertaken during the crisis of the drought when water for human and live stock consumption was sorely needed in rural areas.

Forty new recreational grounds, Parks, playgrounds, athletic fields and school grounds—were developed, while nearly 800 others were improved. Recreational facilities, including the construction of 9 swimming pools, numerous band stands, stadiums, and tennis courts are included in this classification. In addition, work was carried forward on six airports.

Sewing rooms were operated in every county, producing more than 500,000 garments for distribution to persons on relief. The making of mattresses from cotton and ticking furnished as federal surplus commodities was undertaken in many centers. Eighty thousand 50 pound, and 37,559 cot-size mattresses were produced.

A tannery was operated in Greene County for the production of leather from drought cattle hides. The bulk of the leather was used in making wearing apparel. It also was cut in strips for use in 18 shoe repair shops operated as relief projects, and the remaining found an outlet in shops where harness was made for use by families being cared for under rural rehabilitation. Projects for the construction of household furniture and other household necessities were operated both at Springfield and at Flat River. Tables, beds, chairs, and smaller articles were produced in large quantities.

Orthopedic appliances for indigent crippled children were made in conjunction with the Missouri Crippled Children's Service at the University of Missouri.

A bedside and home nursing program, employing 147 nurses, extended health service into 84 counties. More than 12,000 home visits were made.

A census of the crippled children in Missouri, undertaken during CWA, was completed. A large number of research projects were developed, which employed technical and professional persons. These included the geological survey project which concentrated on the conservation of development of the State's water resources and the carrying on of topographical mapping in Missouri. The work of the Missouri State Planning Board was made possible by an FERA project that provided for an economic and social survey of the state.

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Mrs. R. L. Thomas and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Luke Thomas

and children, Bonnie and Bob, spent Saturday night with their daughter and sister-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Kellett of Salcedo.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellett had the following for dinner guests, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kellett and daughter, Colleen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomas and sons, Chas. Jr., and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Ovie Hayes, Mrs. Luke Thomas, Mrs. Robert Thomas of Skeston, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Hayes of Thayer, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Milage Rose of Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. W. A. Kellett is visiting in East St. Louis, Ill., with her daughter, Mrs. Claud Culp.

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Hollywood Star-Lites

By Chuck Cardoch

Hollywood, Calif., October 3—The Hollywood talent dragnet has invaded a new field—that being opera.

Season after season the motion picture industry discovers something new in the way of entertainment so that the great motion picture-going-public are provided with a variety of pictures.

At the present time Hollywood has dashed into the New York Metropolitan Opera house as well as dozens of other concert organizations for talent for forthcoming opera and musical pictures.

Lily Pons, the petite star of opera, is currently starring in "Love Song" while Grace Moore, who has just returned from an European tour, will play the lead in "Marsellaise" her next picture. Lawrence Tibbett representing the masculine portion of the opera world is starring in "Metropolitan". Gladys Swarthout, one of the outstanding opera personalities is making her screen debut in the "Rose of the Rancho" an original screen opera.

Other famous concert artists include Madame Schumann Heink, Jeanette Mac Donald and Nelson Eddy.

Joan Crawford, whose personal interest in opera is well known in Hollywood believes that the screen of tomorrow will demand golden voices of its stars. "The trend has already begun," she said, "and I believe it will continue with the further education of all of us toward an appreciation of better music."

Star-Lites: Joan Crawford is not contented to have just one leading man in her next picture, "The Gorgeous Hussy", but will have four leading men, one of whom will be Brian Aherne. A perfect assignment for Miss Crawford to play the part of a tavern keeper's daughter, who began to shock Washington at 15 and continues thru a tempestuous career into the very heart of Capitol Hill... The ten-strike of the cinema year is the bringing to Hollywood of the petite and charming English comedy star, Jessie Matthews, who played the dual rôle in that marvelous English picture "Evergreen." She'll play the leading female rôle in the musical "This Time It's Love" with Robert Montgomery and Clifton Webb. The music is being written by Brown and Freed... Warner Baxter has been cast for the lead in "King of Burlesque" which marks his return to an impresario's rôle. With him will be Alice Faye and Jack Oakie.

FASHION LITES: Shoe Lace trimming is the latest thing for hat ornamentation! It was introduced on the M-G-M lot by Myrna Loy, whose new fall hat boasts a shot lace trimming. The lace starts at the center of the crown and continues down to the brim where it ends in a pert bow. Myrna has matching shoes laces on her smart street oxfords. Maureen O'Sullivan has hit on something decidedly new and effective for evening wear! They are hair-ribbons fashioned from cellophane! The cellophane hair-bows give a glistening, glass effect particularly striking under artificial light. Maureen has them made with the bow already tied. They fasten beneath her hair at the back. The bow is made to

slip along the band so it may be worn either in the front or at the side.

DO YOU KNOW: That Eleanor Powell considers the number 13 her luckiest, and that every important happening in her life has occurred on that date?

ON THE SET: Brian Aherne, Joan Crawford's new leading man in "I Live My Life", tells us that he doesn't want to be a star! He explained, "I'm having a better time now than stardom could ever give me." Your correspondent thinks this promising young man will be plenty of competition for the Gables and the Montgomerys... Lawrence Tibbett, who's making "Metropolitan" and who sings a popular song in this picture, says, "Don't be ashamed of your love for jazz. I like modern music, even though many people raise their eyebrows when I admit it. Too many people profess to 'just love' classical music when they can't even approach a proper understanding of it."

INSIDE GOSSIP: The former silent screen star who can be seen in the company of the English actor is Gloria Swanson and the Englishman is Herbert Marshall.

What noted film comedian is reported to be "just that way" about a certain former silent screen feminine star, who has two sister also silent screen actresses? That's all for today. Wait until next week.



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- KELSO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9.
- CROWDER, THURSDAY, OCT. 10.
- VANDUSER, FRIDAY, OCT. 11.
- MORLEY, MONDAY, OCT. 14.
- CHAFFEE, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY OCT. 15-16.
- DIEHLSTADT, THURSDAY, OCT. 17.
- ORAN, FRIDAY, OCT. 18.
- SIKESTON, MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 22, 23.
- ANCELL, THURSDAY, OCT. 24.

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Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

Pauline and Maryline Mathis of Wardell are visiting with relatives here this week.

Raymond Johnson and Willard Sanders made a business trip to St. Louis, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bohannon and children of Pharris Ridge spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mrs. Owen Johnson had as her guest Sunday afternoon: Mrs. Murray Lee Phillips of New Madrid.

Several from here have been attending the revival which is in progress at Pharris Ridge School house. The services are conducted each evening by Rev. Austin Cowgur and Rev. Hedges of Ill. Margaret and Mildred Crosno and Zelma Kem, Raymond and James Johnson and Marion Shipman attended the matinee at Dexter, Sunday afternoon.

Those who were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Lomax and sons, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tanner and children of Kewanee, Joe Seeton, Mr. and Mrs. Les Edwards and Mrs. Jessann Lomax and daughter of Pharris Ridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and children.

Louise Kem spent Sunday nite

with Mary Bohannon of Pharris Ridge. Inell Moore, Mildred Lomax and Pauline Mathis were Sunday dinner guests of Edwyna Johnson. Joe Sutton of Kewanee spent the week-end with relatives here. Mrs. Rhodes and grandson, Chas. of Kewanee, spent the week end with the former's daughter Mrs. James Lomax and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughters, and Mrs. Owen Johnson and children were among those who shopped in Skeston, Saturday afternoon.

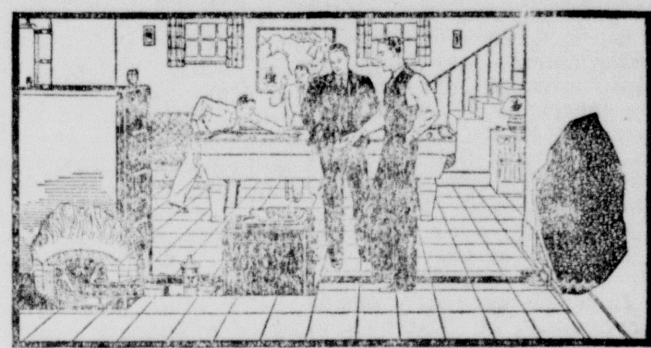
Iowa is edging in on the claims of Wisconsin for hibernation records. Eighty-three-year-old Gilbert Smith of Mondamin, Ia., is a "human groundhog" himself and

unimpressed by the hibernating feat of Arthur Gehrike, Watertown, Wis., tired man, who has spent the last 19 winters in bed. "Huh, I've retired to my bedroom to sleep, read and smoke all winter for 15 years. And I don't come out for months at a time," he declares. It's the cold which drives him under the covers, Smith explains.

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MORE SPEED ON HIGHWAYS

Sir Malcolm Campbell's recent speed record of 300 miles per hour startles us but we all say "What does it mean to us?" "We'll never drive that fast." That's correct, but past experience shows that these showman performances have been a pretty good advance indication of what the general motorist will do in his own has on the highway. The old record of Bob Burman stood at 143 miles per hour for years and during that period the motorist's driving speed ranged around thirty miles per hour. A few years ago the record went up to 272. Then the motorist's speed approached sixty. If Campbell's speed is a criterion, and indications are that it is, we can expect the normal driving speed on the highway to go still higher.

While no one can predict that speeds of 100 miles an hour will become common, nevertheless roads which will supply reasonable safety at that speed are needed to insure adequate safety for present-day common road speeds. Bridges and other structures are built with a factor of reserve strength under the heaviest loads. Similarly, highways must be built to be safe at speeds much greater than will be generally traveled.

Perhaps the most important factor of all is an even non-skid and stable driving surface. Traveling at high speed a car will swerve or lurch dangerously upon striking waves, bumps, holes and slippery spots which cause very little trouble at low speed. All this points to the necessity of constructing pavement that is structurally strong and retains its even non-skid texture. The rigid type, concrete, has great structural strength and for this reason rigid pavement stands up under terrific punishment.

A LETTER RESIDENT WRITES AGAINST COMPULSORY HOME STUDY

It is little short of criminal to force small children, those in the elementary grades, to do studying at night, mainly that the teachers may hear them recite the lessons at school.

Children need to retire, early for the sake of health, and so the evening hour, after supper, should be for rest, recreation and relaxation.

The family, too, should not be disturbed and upset with school problems. The child should take home only pleasant memories of the day's work.

Let the teacher do more teaching and less hearing of recitations. In fact, let the recitation period be an instruction period, and the study period then become a learning period. The pupil may then recite at home something learned during the day.

This will throw the child upon his own resources and the sooner the better. The more home study, the more parent work and less reliance on self. Only such work as the child chooses to do, such as the reading of library books, should be permitted.

In the higher grades, even, a minimum of home study is more conducive to a better day's work at school. Proper utilization of the school day will leave the home open for the pursuit of leisure, which may be well directed by the school towards literature, music, art, sports, hobbies, and other worthwhile activities.

Besides, the school should not usurp the child's entire time. The church and community, and even the home itself might like to get acquainted with the children and do each other some good. A Taxpayer.

DIVISIONAL MISSIONARY MEET TO BE HELD TODAY

Members of the Baptist women's missionary union of the Sikeston division will convene in Dexter today for an annual meeting. About fifteen Sikeston women will attend, including Mrs. Paul Higgins, who will speak.

Mrs. Frank Hequemour of Charleston, divisional chairman, will have charge of the all-day program. In the evening, members will hear a stewardship declamation contest conducted by the young people's group.

Several state officers and approximately 200 women from six Southeast Missouri counties are expected to attend.

COLLEGE ALUMNAE GROUP TO MEET HERE IN WINTER

Mrs. Tom Allen, Miss Ruth McCoy and Mrs. L. E. Ordheide went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening to attend a meeting of the Southeast Missouri Stephens College Alumnae association. Other members were present from Cape Girardeau, Charleston, Kennett, Jackson, Morehouse and Cairo, Ill. The next meeting of the association will be held here in December.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY GROUP TO CONVEENE

A meeting of the Baptist women's missionary group of the Charleston association will be held next Tuesday at the Gravel Ridge church near Charleston. Mrs. Morris Craig of Illinois will preside at the meeting, leading a discussion on the announced subject: "The Banner of the Cross in Foreign Lands." Mrs. O. F. Sitzes of Sikeston will lead devotions.

Three Visit Dexter School

Superintendent Roy V. Ellise, Miss Florence Crisler, principal of the grammar school, and William E. Mahew, head of the high school, went to Dexter Tuesday to visit the schools and to see Robert Harper, the superintendent, who was formerly school inspector for this district.

THE WEATHER

These high and low temperatures have been recorded by Joan LaFont at the Frisco station:

	High	Low
Tuesday	76	52
Wednesday	73	39
Thursday	45	45

A total of 1.30 inches of rain fell late last week.

Installs Bluff Legion Officers

Earl Johnson, Southeast Missouri district committeeman of the American Legion, went to Poplar Bluff Thursday evening to install recently elected officers of the Bluff Legion post. He was accompanied by Ben Welter, Tanner Dye, Lyle Malone, and Tom Roberts.

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CITY DISMISSES FIGHTING CHARGE AGAINST BECK

City Attorney Robert A. Dempster on Thursday dismissed a peace disturbance charge against Homer Beck, filed in police court a week ago by his wife.

In her complaint, Mrs. Beck accused Beck of fighting with her and their daughter. Beck has been free on a \$100 bond since his arrest September 26. Mrs. Beck, it is understood, will soon file suit for divorce.

A preliminary hearing for Beck on a charge of shooting the Rev. A. L. Shoemaker on August 29 was postponed until next Thursday when it was called in Judge William S. Smith's court yesterday. Beck allegedly shot Shoemaker because he objected to the minister's attention to his daughter. He is free on a \$1000 bond.

EBERT-KREADY TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE NOV. 2

The Ebert-Kready Missionary Society of the local Methodist church will have a rummage sale November 2 in the Matthews building on the corner of Malone Ave. and South Kingshighway formerly occupied by Sensenbaugh garage. The public cordially invited.

Dan Taylor Taken to Hospital

Dan E. Taylor was taken to a Cape Girardeau hospital Thursday morning for a blood transfusion. Mr. Taylor has been in bed two weeks suffering with typhoid fever, but he did not become seriously ill until yesterday morning. He was taken to the Cape in the Albritton ambulance.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Stewart of San Diego, Cal., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stewart of near Sikeston. Dr. and Mrs. Stewart were for many years residents of this city.

The OCC enrolled strength in Missouri now totals 16,955, according to recent announcement. The original expansion quota for the state is 18,000.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear nose throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday, Glasses fitted. tf-102

The Naval Bureau of Aeronautics maintains a progressive policy and encourages experimentation. Through its encouragement, the development of the air-cooled engine for aircraft was undertaken. The United States Navy has been responsible for much of the progress in aerial navigation, communication, and means of flying from and landing on board surface vessels, and has developed a small plane capable of being carried by submarines.

Roaring River State Park will undergo additional extensive improvements with the closing of the season on trout October 31. Twenty new modern cabins will be built in addition to a 25-room lodge where meals will be served and equipment for anglers furnished. Hugh Brixley, the Superintendent at the park estimates 100,000 will have angled for trout at the river this year by the time the season closes.



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WANTED—Young lady with whom to share 2-room apartment phone 362.

RECOVERY NOTES

Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.

Leaders of America's machine tool trade, known as an accurate forecaster of general business, estimated recently that the 1935 volume of this industry will approximate \$150,000,000—about \$20,000,000 more than in 1929, the biggest previous year in its history.

Newspaper circulation figures have shown a decided upturn and many have reached their 1929 peaks, says George Moffet, president of the Central States Circulation Managers' Association. He asserts that the improved circulation figures reflected a general improvement in business conditions.

Retail trade in August was about 5 per cent ahead of July and 7 per cent above August last year, according to Standard Statistics, Inc. September retail prospects are generally good, it stated.

Bankers "can really sleep at night now," declared Rudoff Hoch, president of the American

Bankers' Association in a recent address in Massachusetts. He said a greater feeling of security exists in banking circles at present than has prevailed in years.

Revenue collections by the national government for the fiscal year ending June 30 were \$27,196,377 greater than in the like preceding period, announces Guy T. Helvering, Internal Revenue Commissioner. For the past year they amounted to \$3,299,435,572.

Loading of revenue freight for the week ending August 31 totaled 679,861 cars, the American Railroads announce. This was 53,488 cars or 8.5 per cent, more than for the preceding week, and 32,330 cars more than for the corresponding period of last year. The figure for the week was above the best weekly figure for any week during 1934 or 1935.

An improved financial situation for the farmer, increasing retail sales, rising bank deposits, growing building activity, improved demand for business and residence property and a steady increase in advertising lineage, are cited in a recent statement by the Missouri Press Association as evidences that a definite economic upturn is under way in Missouri. The statement was issued by Chas. W. Koller, field secretary of the association.

The Edison Electric Institute

reports that electric production for the week ended September 21 totaled 1,851,541,000 kilowatt hours, an upturn of 1.3 per cent over the preceding week and a gain of 13.5 per cent over the corresponding week of 1934.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending September 19 were the lowest for the year to date, Dun and Bradstreet announces. The total for the week was 184, compared with 195 and 203 respectively for the two preceding weeks.

Bank clearings continue to soar. For the week ending September 25 they totaled \$5,040,128,000, against \$4,193,234,000 a year ago, an increase of 20.2 per cent. The feature throughout September has been the uniformity of gain in comparison with clearing a year ago at most cities.

Deposit insurance is now permanent for our banks. Figures

showing that 99 1-2 per cent of insured banks which had a choice have elected to retain federal deposit insurance. It is now in force in 14,150 banks throughout the nation.

Two of France's thirty 1500-ton powerful and long distance radius action submarines, recently completed a 7500 mile cruise without escort vessel and no difficulties.

To produce a permanent population of upland game it is obvious that farmlands must possess adequate cover for protection at all times of the year, places for nesting and rearing young, a year round supply of food," suggests R. E. Yeatter, Game Specialist for the Illinois Department of Conservation, in his recent bulletin on management of upland game. The great majority of farm are lacking in one or more of these requirements and therefore possess a minimum of game and other wildlife, it is pointed out.

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Ask For Poll Parrot Money

from the KELVIN KITCHEN by Joan Adams

(Editor's Note: If you have a question on home-management, send it with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Joan Adams in care of this newspaper. Miss Adams will answer your question personally.)

MEATS THAT SAVE THE SITUATION

We hardly need mention what the situation is. Do you remember grand old day s when we could plan our menus matter-of-factly around luscious steaks and great juicy roasts, unhindered by the obstacle of price? Already those days are disappearing into the mists of memory, and except for Sundays, holidays and high occasions, we must make a serious

business of marketing and menu planning.

Stewing, pot-roasting and all the moist heat methods by which a cheap, less-tender cut of meat can be transformed into something savory and tempting, are superseding the roasting and broiling of the good old steak-and-chop days, for our every-day dinners.

But have you noticed how a stew seems to take possession of the whole plate, and how it contains so many vegetables that it makes anything else on the plate seem superfluous. Yet something else is needed, if only for texture and color contrast.

One way to keep a stew within bounds is to serve it in the little bread croustades, so simple

to make an attractive, when toasted to delicate golden brown. A baked tomato will usually hold its own on a plate with stew; so will Brussels sprouts, buttered beans, free of excess moisture, or rice. Watermelon pickles are also first-rate company with Irish stew or pot-roast.

The lowly hamburger is in a class by itself for price these days. It will be discovered to be very delicious in meat loaf, meat balls with tomato sauce, and patties served with fried onions. It also combines nicely in casserole dishes with noodles, rice, macaroni or spaghetti. At present, lamb and veal are our least expensive meats, aside from such things as corned beef, hearts, beef liver, and hamburger steak, with "touch bottom". Chicken, especially stewing hens, is less expensive now than most meats. Fryers can be had for three quarters of a dollar in many markets, and for even less.

Round steak and kidneys, two inexpensive numbers in the butcher shop now, make the famous Canadian meat pie, which is baked beneath a delicate blanket of unsweet-piecrust. Another use of round steak is the savory "Carbondale Flamande" of the frugal Belgian housewife. It takes the Europeans, long trained in economy of the most exacting kind, to make the most of less tender meats by their art of long, low cooking and skillful seasoning.

If years of habit have accustomed you to the joys of roasted meats, try a breast of veal, which is comparatively inexpensive. Have a deep pocket cut in a four-pound piece and stuff the pocket with an onion and sage dressing before sewing it or fastening it securely, dredging the roast with flour and seasoning and roasting in the usual way.

Meat loaf is one of the most appetizing methods of using less costly meats, and there's nothing more delicious in a dinner of scalloped potatoes and green peas.

Lamb Ragout, Parisian Style
2 lbs. lamb cut from the shoulder.
6 onions
1-2 lb. mushrooms
2 tbsp. butter
6 boiled potatoes
1 tbsp. lemon juice or wine flavor. Few grains of salt, pepper, thyme, bay leaf and garlic.
1 pint tomato sauce.
Cut the meat into two-inch pieces and fry a golden brown. Drain off the fat, and add a little water. Add the various seasonings. Bokl and skim off fat. Then simmer for one hour. Now add the onions and mushrooms which have been fried in the butter. Pour in the tomato sauce. Just before serving, add the potatoes, cooking them just enough to warm them up. (Serves six).

Carbondale Flamande (Belgian)

- 2 lbs. round steak.
- 1 tbsp drippings
- 1 tsp. vinegar
- 1 tsp. French mustard.
- 6 Chopped onions
- 1 clove garlic
- 2 slices of bread
- 1 tsp sugar
- Pinch of salt and pepper.

Brown the meat in the drippings. Then remove the steak and brown the onions in the same fat. Place the meat in a baking dish with the onions, adding the garlic and salt and pepper. Spread the mustard evenly over the slices of bread. Place the bread over the meat. Add one and one-half cups of water and cook slowly for one and one-half hours. Add vinegar and sugar to flavor the gravy a short time before removing from the oven. Nutmeg may also be added. Serves 8. Add flour mixed with vinegar to carbonate and simmer for 5 minutes for thickened gravy to pour over meat.

Round Steak Paramount

Have a slice cut from the top round about 1 1-2 inches thick. Brush vegetable oil over it generously, cover with waxed paper, and place in refrigerator for several hours. When ready to cook, turn onto floured board and pound

flour in with wooden mallet. Season with salt and pepper and broil or fry quickly. Serve with mushroom sauce.

May Enter Cape

Firemen's Contests
Chief John A. Young plans to go to Cape Girardeau Thursday with several members of the fire department, who will participate in various contests to be held as part of the Cape's observation of national fire prevention week from October 6 to 12. Competitors will be firemen of Southeast Missouri towns.

M. U. TO SOON LET BIDS FOR TWO NEW BUILDINGS

The University of Missouri this week advertised for bids for the erection of the new Engineering Annex building and the erection of the west wing of the University Library building. According to the advertisement, bids will be opened and the contracts awarded on October 14. These bids are the first of the bids for the erection of the six new buildings which will be erected on the University campus during the present school year.

Bids for the other buildings, which will include an Education building, a Student Health Center

building, a new wing on Jay H. Neff Hall, the journalism building, and a new wild life unit for the zoology building, will be advertised for at a later date.

TANNER FARMER AGAIN ARRESTED FOR STEALING

Bill Johnson, a young farmer of the Tanner community, was sent to the Benton jail to await a preliminary hearing on a theft charge after his arrest Wednesday night by Deputy Sheriff Ira Shuffitt.

Johnson was stopped when Shuffitt noticed he was wearing a coat belonging to Deputy Constable W. M. Masterson. The coat, it is charged, was stolen Wednesday from Judge Joseph W. Myer's office while no one was in the room.

Johnson, it will be remembered, was arrested at the airport July 4 for disturbing the peace and again later in the summer for stealing flour from the H. & H. grocery.

All justice court cases called Thursday were continued a week, including that against Bynom Kellett on a charge of assaulting Marie Clark with a knife September 20, and that against Robert Joyner, who is accused of colliding with W. B. Barbarick's car on Front Street September 24

while he was drunk. Kellett has been free on a \$50 bond signed by himself and Ernest Kellett, and Joyner on a \$100 bond signed by himself. Barbarick is a Poplar Bluff contractor.

You'd Be Surprised

The annual loss from fire, directly or indirectly is estimated by the National Fire Protection Association to be about 10,000 lives, and according to the Fire Waste Council of the United States Chamber of Commerce about 70 per cent of this loss was in dwellings.

The structural standards of the Federal Housing Administration which apply where home mortgages are to be insured provide a double check on all structural features which might cause fire. The first check up is by the architect designing the structure, second by the Federal Housing architectural staff before the mortgage is accepted for insurance.

Ventilators

Cross ventilation should be provided for the space enclosed by foundation walls, whether it is excavated or not.

If no provision is made for air circulation within the enclosed space next to the ground, dampness accumulates and excess

moisture can seriously damage structural members. Openings for the admission of air help to prevent these difficulties and increase the life of the structure.

The total area of such openings should not be less than 7 per cent of the ground area enclosed. These openings should be screened tightly so that rats or mice will not find easy access into the space.

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Scientists have established the fact that unpainted red brick has a coefficient of light reflection of only 15 or 20 per cent, while the same brick painted white has a reflective coefficient 80 per cent.

Green and blue wing teal are beginning to come in from the north. The duck season in Missouri this year opens October 21 and continues for thirty days. In addition to a state hunting license each duck hunter must have in his possession a federal duck stamp, signed in ink across its face by the holder.

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		Candy Orange Slices, 2 lbs.	19c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Bananas, Golden Yellow, doz.	15c	Head lettuce, 60 size	6c
Oranges, 288 size	18c	Red or White Grapes 2 lbs.	15c

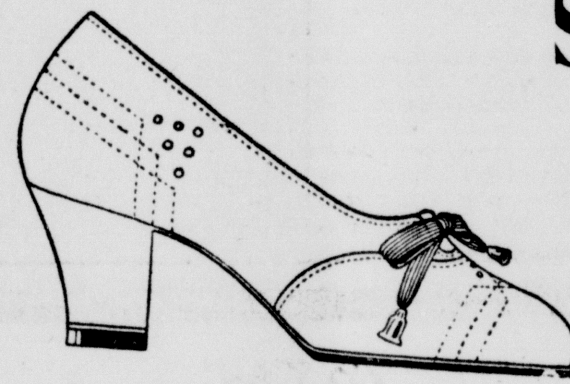
MEATS

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Boiling beef lb.	10c	Shortening, 4 lb. carton	59c
Beef Roast Chuck lb.	15c	Shortening, bulk, 2 lbs.	29c
Neck bones, lb	12 1-2c		
Bologna, lb.	15c	Fresh Oysters, Dressed Fryers & Hens	

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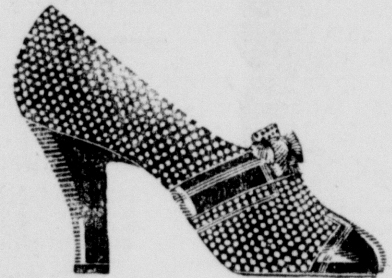
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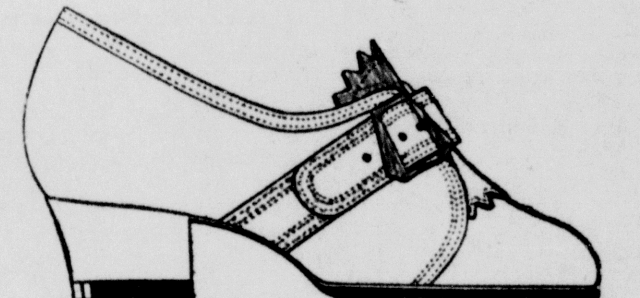
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SYNOPSIS: Malibu, a deer and Gato, a mountain lion, have been raised by Tom Martin, vacationing in the Sierras with her father, who had written a book about the interesting experiment. But, when Bob Alden, a forest ranger, who is in love with Toni, had discovered Gato's hen-coop raiding activities, Toni had been forced to turn the animal loose. Two years later, she returns and again finds Malibu and Gato. The three become involved in many exciting adventures, especially with Bergman, a rascally guide, who is their arch enemy. He has just stolen a herd of deer from Government property, and when Malibu tries to stampede them out of their prison corral, Bergman goes after him. There is a shot and Malibu falls.

THE GREAT BUCK LAUGHS

Chapter Eleven

Instantly, however, Malibu had picked himself up and dashed away, his ruse having worked successfully, for Bergman had relaxed his watch.

Now, the guide, with a muttered curse, brought his horse to a stop, then waited grimly, his gun ready. Malibu weaved crazily in and out the boulders then again fled past Bergman. Spying him, the guide quickly rode off in pursuit.

Malibu now left the shelter of the boulder and skipped through a shallow stream to the other side. And Bergman spurred his horse on with renewed zest, as he rode through the stream, seemingly hot on the deer's trail.

The buck moved cautiously around a large rock as Bergman



The raised gun was his own private signal to come forth in defense of Malibu.

him. Then he veered a little to the left of Bergman, leaping to a rock that he meant to use as an observation point.

Approaching this very rock, Bergman moved to it, deciding to rest for a moment to renew his exhausted energy. As he walked around it, Gato, from his higher vantage point, followed his every move with watchful glancing eyes, never removing them for a second, even when Bergman dropped wearily down and stretched his arms with a wide gesture of relaxation.

Malibu was now approaching a sheltering cave in the rocks. He sprang up to the side of a boulder to enter the cavern, but weak and spent by the bullet wound, he fell back helplessly.

Now Bergman, who had seen him, raised his rifle. It was the chance he had been waiting for. For Malibu was utterly at his mercy.

But Gato too, had been waiting for this moment. The raised gun was his own private signal to come forth in defense of his friend Malibu. Springing forward, he landed, a huge furry burden, on Bergman's shoulders.

Then, rebounding he was thrown to the ground, but the next second he had whirled about, ready to attack again. Bergman gazed around wildly as he saw the great cat prepare to spring.

But as he broke into a run in an effort to get away, Gato leaped up in the air, landing on Bergman's back and knocking him to the ground. Now Gato was on top of him, both of them rolling over and over in the struggle. The cat hissed and snarled, while Bergman's breath came raspingly from his heaving chest.

Malibu, standing in the entrance of the cave, picked up his ears, at the savage sounds of the battle. With head thrust forward, he left the cave and was soon running through the woods in the direction of the sounds.

Suddenly the underbrush beneath his flying feet gave way. He landed on the ground, and though stunned for a minute, was soon on his feet, unharmed.

But when he looked around to be off again, he found he was in a concealed bear pit, dug deep into the ground and hidden from view.

He made a flying leap up the side of the pit in an effort to escape — only to fall back to its bottom.

Suddenly, it tumbled, throwing him to the ground. He tumbled over and bumped up against a tree, deep center, helplessly.

ANNOUNCES COTTON PRICES

The AAA Gives Daily Schedule of Base Averages

A report received this week at the county agent's office makes public the daily average of the prices per pound of middling 7-8 inch spot cotton at the ten designated spot markets for the period from June 1 to Sept. 10, inclusive. The daily average price was determined by daily quotations from the ten designated spot markets to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Department of Agriculture.

Producers of cotton who agree to comply with the 1936 cotton acreage adjustment program and who have sold cotton from the 1935 crop will be paid under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration's price adjustment plan the difference between the average at the ten designated spot markets on the day of sale and 12 cents per pound.

For example, a producer who sold his cotton on September 4 would be due a price adjustment payment of 1.55 cents per pound up to the amount of the actual cotton sold but NOT beyond his Bankhead allotment.

On the other hand, any producer who sold cotton from his 1935 crop on any of the days when middling 7-8 inch spot cotton averaged 12 cents a pound or more at the designated markets would NOT be due an adjustment payment.

In the case of growers who have NOT signed or complied with the 1935 cotton acreage adjustment program, payment on the difference between a daily average price and 12 cents will NOT be made until he has complied with the 1936 cotton adjustment program.

The ten designated spot markets are Augusta, Dallas, Galveston, Houston, Little Rock, Memphis, Montgomery, New Orleans, Norfolk and Savannah.

110 POUNDS EXEMPT

Information for cotton producers in this county was received recently by County Agent Broom, stating that 110 pounds of lint cotton produced by or for any producer may be retained by him for domestic use in his household without payment of the ginning tax which otherwise would be levied. This 110 pounds of cotton, to be used only in the producer's household, is in addition to the tax-exempt allotment of cotton under the Bankhead Act. The exemption is effective on the 1935 crop.

Producers who desire to avail themselves of this exemption should hold back from the gin enough seed cotton to produce the lint which they desire to use in their household and secure from the County Agent of the county in which they reside, application form for exemption before taking such seed cotton to the gin. These forms will probably not be available before October 1. Three lbs. of seed cotton usually will gin one pound of lint.

TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

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WHEREAS, HUNTER LAND & DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, a corporation, by its deed of trust dated July 1st, 1925, filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri and recorded in Book No. 48 at Pages Nos. 459 and 460, conveyed to COMMERCE TRUST COMPANY of Kansas City, Missouri, Trustee, for the purpose of securing the indebtedness therein described the following described property situated in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

West Half of Southwest Quarter (W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty-Six (26); East Half of Southeast Quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty-Seven (27); Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Thirty-four (34), and Northwest Quarter of Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Thirteen (13) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, excepting therefrom railroad right of way leaving a net acreage of 233 acres.

WHEREAS, the owner and holder of said indebtedness appointed the undersigned as substitute trustee, which appointment of substitute trustee was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said indebtedness has requested me to sell the said real estate according to the terms of said deed of trust.

NOW THEREFORE, at the request of the holder and owner of said indebtedness, I, E. C. Pierce, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that by virtue of the power and authority given to me by said deed of trust, and the aforesaid appointment of substitute trustee, I shall proceed to sell the real estate hereinabove and in said deed of trust described, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Scott County Court House at Benton, Missouri, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1935 between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 5 o'clock P. M., on that day beginning at or about the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of satisfying and paying the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the cost of executing this trust.

WITNESS my signature this 25th day of September, 1935.

E. C. PIERCE,

Substitute Trustee.

Caruthersville Fair Starts Oct. 9

The second annual American Legion Tri-County Fair will begin at Caruthersville, Wednesday, October 9 and continue through October 13, running for five days. With the premium list offering \$1,500 this year, an unusually large number of agricultural, poultry, vegetable and other exhibits are being entered, according to Floyd Barnhart, vocational agriculture instructor in the high school, who is in charge of exhibits.

At a meeting last Friday night, the Fair Board decided to reduce the exhibitors' pass ticket from \$5.00 to \$1.00. Each person entering \$1.00 in exhibits will be given a free pass to the grounds for the first four days of the Fair.

The fair this year will have several added features over last year. A large number of free acts have been contracted for to be held both day and night before the grandstand. These include tumbling, wire walking, acrobats and other acrobatic acts.

Miss Marguerita Ferguson will present a troupe of 35 Caruthersville Kiddies in a Kiddies' Revue three evenings of the fair. The Kiddies, all talented youngsters, will present a routine of dancing, singing and specialty acts. Jack Hutchinson, son of former prosecuting attorney Ralph Hutchin on and Mrs. Hutchinson, will be master of ceremonies for the Revue.

Each afternoon, except the opening day of the fair, there will be both running and harness races. George Gray, superintendent of the speedway has placed the track in excellent condition, and predicts some unusually fast times in the various events.

There are eight races carded for Thursday and Friday, six harness races and two running races. Purses of \$150 and \$60 are offered in each of the races, respectively. Saturday, the American Legion Derby purse offers \$250, over a mile and 70 yards running race. Sunday will be the feature day of the racing meet, offering six running races, with the major purse being \$200.00 in the Tri-County Derby.

Music will be provided each afternoon and evening by the Caruthersville Band, under the direction of Prof. R. L. Morris. Other county bands will take part in the fair, but the Fair Board decided to employ no out of county bands. The Caruthersville Band will number 35 or 40 pieces, according to Prof. Morris, and has won meritorious honors at various amusement enterprises over the mid-south, being recognized as one of the outstanding music units taking part in the Cotton Carnival at Memphis this year.

Wednesday, the opening day of the fair, has been given over to judging the exhibits entered. Prizes and ribbons will be awarded this day. Prizes are \$1.25 for first, 75 cents second, and 50 cents third. All exhibits will be on display until Saturday night.

A "Miss Southeast Missouri" Beauty Contest will be held during Fair Week, with the beauty queens of various towns to parade before the grandstand each day. Judges will make the final selection, crowning "Miss Southeast Missouri" on Saturday.

Admissions for the fair at 15c and 25c at the gate, 15c for reserved box seats, and grandstand seats are free, both day and night. Officials have arranged parking space for about five thousand automobiles.

Other than Gray, who is general manager and superintendent of the speed ring, other officials of the Fair Board are:

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Directors—Ralph Hutchinson, Harry Mallowe, J. M. Reeves, Jess M. Cook, Willard Russell, R. C. Mulliniks, Floyd Barnhart, general superintendent of exhibits.

Departmental superintendents—Mrs. J. C. Hudspeth, poultry; T. A. Haggard, agriculture; Tommie J. Greenwell, horticulture; Mrs. W. A. Poplin, floriculture; Mrs. H. V. Litzelfelner, Fine Arts; Mrs. Helen Dillman Baker, domestic arts; Mrs. Letitia Simpson, apicary, culinary and dairy; Harriett S. Jones, education.

FILES AMENDED PETITION IN CITY'S QUO WARRANTO ACTION AGAINST UTILITIES

An amended petition in the city's quo warranto suit against the Missouri Utilities Company was filed in the circuit court Tuesday by Roger A. Bailey.

Mr. Bailey named as co-defendants, the Community Power & Light Company of Delaware and the Boatmen's National Bank in St. Louis.

The power concern, holder of the utilities' first mortgage bonds of \$2,185,000, was named because on August 5 its attorneys filed in the Cape Girardeau federal court a motion for a restraining order to halt the city's earlier quo warranto suit, brought to court on July 12, and set for hearing during the August term. The bank is included as corporate trustee.

In the amended petition, Mr. Bailey alleges that the utilities lacks a right to operate here because it has no franchise other than a grant of December 16, 1902, which has long since expired. He was granted until Tuesday to file a petition after Judge Frank Kelly heard arguments last month on the utilities demurrer action, taken in an effort to stop the earlier quo warranto suit.

STATEMENT EXPLAINS ADJUSTMENT DETAILS

For the purpose of determining the payments that cotton growers will receive under the 1935 cotton price adjustment payment plan, the "date of sale" means the day on which the price to be paid the producer for his cotton is mutually agreed upon by producer and purchaser. This information, intended for the cotton contract signers in New Madrid county, was contained in an official statement received from cotton adjustment headquarters this week by County Agent Leslie B. Broom.

The Adjustment payment plan is designed, insofar as is possible to bring an average of a 12 cent return to producers on the 1935 cotton crop by payments to producers based on the difference between that figure and the daily average price paid for middling 7-8 inch cotton at the ten designated spot markets on the day of sale.

In the event cotton, on which a 10-cent loan is obtained under the 1935 loan plan, is NOT sold by July 31, 1936 and is still under the loan on that date, an adjustment payment will be made to the producer cooperating in the

1936 cotton program in the amount per pound by which the official average base price at the ten designated markets is below 12 cents per pound on July 31. However, carrying charges, which include interest, storage, and insurance, will be deducted from the payment and paid to the lending agency.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration today reiterated that cotton producers should bargain with buyers for the premium due them on cotton which is above the average in grade and staple length.

Producers will lose money due them, officials stated, if they sell premium cotton for the price paid for middling 7-8 inch cotton in the belief the price adjustment payments will compensate them for their better grade and staple length.

AAA CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

To Be Used to Finance Cotton Adjustment Payments

Payments to cotton producers are to be made from a new source recently authorized by a Congressional amendment to the Agricultural Adjustment Act, according to a statement received by county Agent Leslie B. Broom from cotton Section state headquarters.

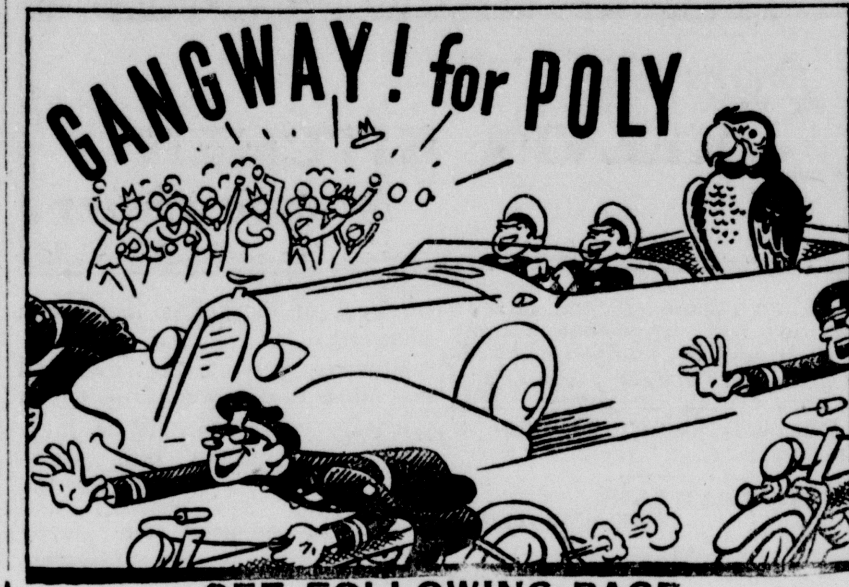
Thirty per cent of the customs receipt for each fiscal year are segregated by this section and maintained in a separate fund which may be used to encourage the exportation and marketing of agricultural commodities.

The cotton price adjustment plan is intended, insofar as is possible to insure producers of the 1935 cotton crop a return of 12c per pound basis 7-8 inch middling, on their cotton production in 1935 within the limits of their Bankhead allotments.

Toward this end, the plan proposes the payment to individual producers of the difference between 12 cents per pound and the average price of 7-8 inch middling cotton at the 10 designated spot markets on the date of sale. Payments will be made on actual production up to the amount of each producer's Bankhead Act allotment but in NO case will the payments exceed 2c per pound.

This price adjustment payment will not be affected in any way by the differential premium

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the seller may receive for his cotton above the basis on account of superior quality or the lower price he may receive below basis on account of inferior quality. In selling their cotton, all producers should insist on a price basis determined by the grade and staple length of their cotton according to Government cotton standards.

N. B. MORRIS DIES AFTER ELEVEN WEEKS' ILLNESS

Funeral services for Norman B. Morris, who died Monday evening of chronic myocarditis, were conducted by the Rev. Verne F. Oglesby at the Baptist church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in the city cemetery.

Mr. Morris was 77 years old at the time of his death. He was

born in Boonville, Ind., but had lived here many years. He had been ill eleven weeks.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Fannie Morris, he is survived by two sons, Lenthia Morris of Miami, Fla., and C. T. Morris of Kansas City; a daughter, Mrs. Reva Hayes of Flint, Mich.; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Dempster service.

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Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.
Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.
Prayer Meeting—7:30 o'clock.
Wednesday evening.
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.
Morning Worship—10:45.
Choir Practice—1st and 3rd Thursday.
2nd Friday.
Women Bible Class—4th Tuesday.
R. M. TALBERT, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school, 9:30 o'clock.
Morning service, 11 o'clock.
"No Man Careth for My Soul".
N. Y. P. S., 6:30 o'clock.
Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.
Salvation sermon.
Midweek prayer service, Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock.
C. F. Transue, pastor.

The date for the church's fall revival has been set, the Rev. C. F. Transue said Wednesday. The meeting will begin November 15 and extend for two weeks. The Rev. E. C. Dees of Paris, Tenn., who organized the Sikeston church ten years ago, will preach. His daughter, Miss Ruby Lee Dees, president of the Tennessee district young people's association, will be song leader. Three hundred dollars has been added to the church building fund since the last report was made recently, Mr. Transue said. Twenty-eight hundred dollars has now been paid toward remodeling the church, and with the addition of \$100 to be contributed next week the church debt will be reduced to \$275. Remodeling has now cost \$3100. An additional \$500 will be needed to complete the work, Mr. Transue said.

The revival members of the young people's organization here have sponsored at Essex will close Sunday at the end of the third week. The Rev. J. D. Havener of Flat River has been preaching.

IRA CHANEY TO HEAD WILLING HELPERS CLASS

Ira Chaney was elected president of the Willing Helpers class of the Church of the Nazarene at a regular business meeting Monday night.

Other officers chosen are Derrick Warner, vice-president; Roy Grey, secretary; Herman Poe, assistant secretary; Thomas Gallowsay, treasurer; and Lester Comer, assistant treasurer.

These members were named to committees: Executive, Bill Thompson, chairman, Mickey Murrel and Thomas Meredith, membership, Harold Ray, chairman, Henry Comer, and Estel Demarris; social, Dan Duvall, chairman, Willis Holmes, and Robert Couch; devotional, Charles Chaney, chairman, Ralph Williams and Alva Halden; missionary, Luther Campbell, chairman, Charles Chaney, and Clyde Nichols. Chris Porter was recently appointed teacher of the class by the Sunday school board.

Class members meet at 9:30 every Sunday morning. Young men who are not now attending any Sunday school are invited to be present.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid, of the First Christian church will meet on next Thursday afternoon, October 10 at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cox, Sr. The time will be spent in quilting.

FIDELIS CLASS

The Fidelis class, First Baptist church, will meet on Monday night, October 7, with Miss Mildred Carter, 506 West Gladys street. Mrs. C. C. Allen, assistant hostess.

ARBUTUS CLASS

The Arbutus Class of the First Baptist church, will hold its monthly meeting on Monday night, October 7, at the home of Mrs. Jewel Gentle. Mrs. Robert McCarty, assistant hostess.

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will meet next Tuesday night, October 8, at the home of Mrs. Leonard McMullin. Mrs. George Kirk, assistant hostess.

TO CANVASS HOMES FOR C. E. CONVENTION FUNDS

Young people's organization leaders will conduct a house-to-house canvass Saturday for funds to finance the state Christian Endeavor convention here November 7, 8, 9, and 10, Kemper Brunt, general chairman, announced Wednesday. A decision to stage the drive was made at a convention directors' meeting Tuesday night.

Throughout Saturday, teams of workers will visit residents and business men soliciting \$1 registration to the convention in order that the \$500 pledged by Sikeston may be raised.

In the meantime, Miss Vernetta Smith, chairman of the housing committee, is active organizing a group who will ask householders to provide rooms and breakfasts for convention delegates. Her committee members include Mrs. C. M. Harris, Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. J. N. Ross, Mrs. C. E. Felker, Mrs. O. E. Latham, Mrs. Margaret Harper. Persons willing to donate rooms are asked to call either these women or Miss Smith.

A large sign advertising the convention has been placed on the lawn of the Methodist church, which is being equipped with flood lights this week.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 o'clock.
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Problem of Ethiopia and Its Challenge to Christianity."
Epworth League—6:30 o'clock.
Evening worship—7:30 o'clock.
"God's Orders to the Christian Church."
Special music will be given by the young people's choir under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Newsum.

E. H. Orear, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kind words during our bereavement in the death of our beloved husband and brother. Especially to Rev. Oglesby for his words of comfort and to the ladies who sang, and for the beautiful floral offerings. We also wish to thank the National Guard and the American Legion for their services.

Mrs. Thomas Clark and family.

CLARKTON PASTOR TO PREACH SUNDAY AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Rev. C. V. Farrell of Clarkton, who is preaching this week at a revival being held in the Presbyterian church at Charleston, will preach here at the morning services of the Presbyterian church Sunday. Services will begin at 9 o'clock.

Rally day will be observed at the Sunday school at 10 o'clock. The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 6:30 Sunday evening and midweek prayer services at 7:30 Wednesday night. No evening services will be held Sunday.

PERSONAL

H. M. Holmes went to St. Louis Wednesday, where yesterday he attended a business meeting of

the Phillips Petroleum Company, held in the Ivory room of the Jefferson Hotel. Mr. Holmes is a district manager, and will look after business interests at Cairo, Ill., and Paducah, Ky., before returning to Sikeston.

Second of a series of six Bridge-Pinochle parties to be at Hotel Marshall October 3, sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

Mrs. Mary Hamlin of Sikeston was admitted to St. Francis hospital Sunday for medical treatment.—Cape Missourian.

Mrs. J. C. Seigelman of Eldorado, Ill., formerly Miss Margaret Murphy of Sikeston; Mrs. Mary Hall and her daughter, Miss Carrie Hall, also of Eldorado; and George Glasgow, Mrs. Vivian Crowson, Mrs. Belle Jewell, and Mr. Harper, all of Rector, Ark., came here this week to attend the funeral of R. K. Bone, who died Sunday night. Mr. Glasgow, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Bone, and other Rector residents left Tuesday evening. Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Bone's sister-in-law, and her companions left Wednesday.

Orville Calhoun and Miss Dorothy Mills shopped in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holmes of Yazoo City, Miss., stopped here on their way to St. Louis Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore Greer. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes stopped again Wednesday at the Greer residence and then went to Charleston for luncheon while they were en route home.

Mrs. Roger Bailey will be hostess to the Friday bridge club this afternoon.

The Beta Sigam Phi met on Monday night with Miss Ruth Ward Powell. The members decided to sell candy this Saturday, and anyone wishing to buy some, please call Mrs. Garwood Sharp.

Miss Rebecca Pierce returned from St. Louis, Monday, where she had been to attend a field force conference of the Woman's Benefit Association, held last Friday and Saturday. While in the city, Miss Pierce also visited relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Conatser and sons went to Parma, Wednesday, to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boaz.

Mrs. L. T. Davey and daughter, Miss Ellen, went to St. Louis, Wednesday night, for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Danneker of St. Louis came Wednesday evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Sharp. Mrs. Danneker will be remembered here before her marriage as Miss Wilma Knier. After visiting here, Mr. and Mrs. Danneker will go to California to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trousdale attended the ball game in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Sheldon entertained with a bridge supper Monday evening at their home on North Kingshighway. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Kingsland, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Crowell, Miss Jane Priester, and Kemper Brunt.

SCOTT COUNTY PROJECTS ARE APPROVED BY WPA

Projects to improve the Benton school building at a federal cost of \$1608; to renovate the Chaffee high school, \$9864; to construct a sidewalk in front of the Illinois city hall, \$7617; and to improve 1.5 miles of the Oran-Perkins road, \$2971, are included in a list of proposed WPA projects which have been approved in Washington.

Others in the ninth area are: Dunklin county: Improve roads,

\$16,270; improve roads (separate projects) \$13,287. Cotton Hill Township: Improve roads, \$40,015. Senath—Repair Bucado public school building, \$917.

Mississippi County: Improve roads in Airline Special Road District, \$11,604. Anniston—Improve public school building, \$1360. Bertrand—Construct school building, \$18,887. Charleston—Construct school building, and improve grounds, \$1716; construct community hall, \$23,141; construct community center, \$4,864. East Prairie—Construct nine-classroom school, \$22,026. Pemiscot county—Caruthersville—Improve school on Ward avenue, \$3074. Hayti—School construction program \$8306. Holland—Improve city streets \$7197. Steele—Construct gymnasium, \$24,234.

New Madrid county: Gideon—Improve streets, \$509; improve community center, \$2189; sanitation program, \$9920; Matthews—Repairs at public school building, \$7382. Morehouse—Renovate public school building, \$12,757; New Madrid—Construct sidewalks, \$20,657.

Stoddard county: Construct community center in school district No. 76, \$246. Bernie—Improve school buildings, \$2988. Bloomfield—Repairs at courthouse, \$9198. Dudley—Improve school building, \$1652. Lavall—Construct school building, \$862. Puxico—Construct school auditorium-gymnasium, \$18,211.

Cape Girardeau county—improvement of city streets, \$24,296; improvement of Sunset boulevard, \$25,491; renovation of Fairground park, \$24,438; improvement of 2.4 miles of North Sprigg street road, \$3605; and improvement of Missouri park, \$15,108, all in Cape Girardeau; improvement of Gordonville streets, \$1806; renovation of Jackson courthouse, \$431.

The National Coal Association estimates bituminous coal production for the week ended September 14, at 8,300,000 net tons, against 7,026,000 tons for the like period last year. Output during the week ended September 7 was 6,890,000, according to the Bureau of Mines.

Daily averages gross crude oil production in the United States increased 24,650 barrels in the week ended September 21, totaling 2,774,500 barrels, the American Petroleum Institute's weekly summary indicates. Daily average production east of California increased 17,050 barrels to 2,130,000 barrels.

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A "more-than-seasonal" increase in steel output, factory employment and payrolls during August was reported by the Federal Reserve Board. Its monthly summary of general business and financial conditions said also that wholesale prices of farm products and metal showed an advance during the month which extended over the first three weeks of September.

The Works Progress Administration recently announced the President has approved a \$985,409 allotment for the works program in Missouri. Various sponsors have pledged \$326,690 additional.

On September 21 the federal government had taken 936,218 persons off of relief rolls and given them jobs with the works progress administration.

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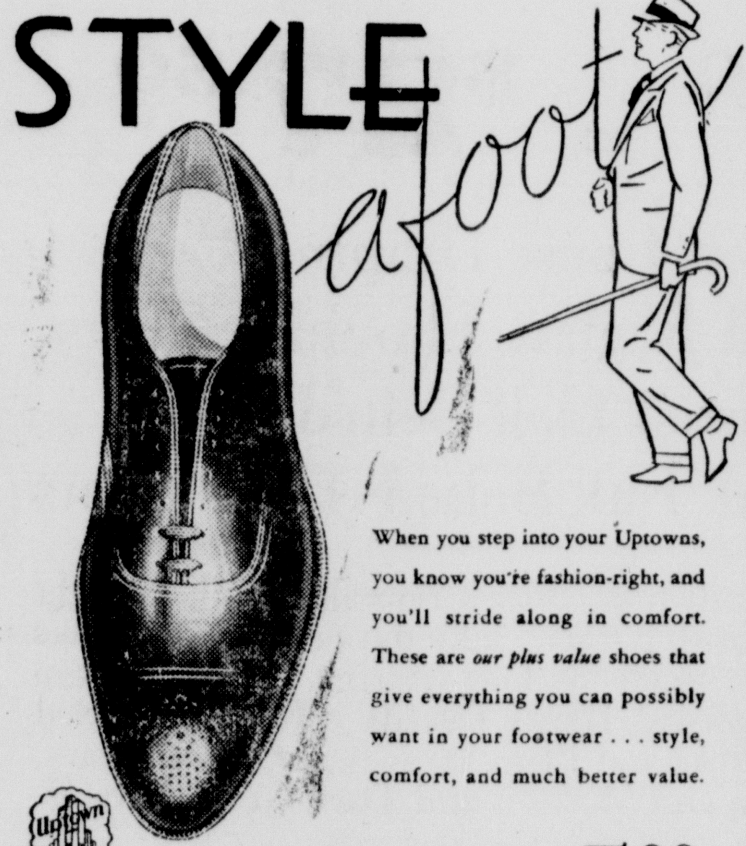
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Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

James Hart left Monday for Memphis where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgie Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Paducah, Ky., were guests of Mrs. Hopie Sullivan, here Sunday.

Bill Bryant, Bernice Frank, Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Sullivan, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and family, at Landers Ridge.

The W. C. T. U. meeting held at the Nazarene church, here, Sunday, proved a success. The program was well rendered and a good attendance was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wallace, who have been residing at Vanduser, Mo., the past few months, moved back to this city, Saturday.

Jim Reeves visited friends in Poplar Bluff, Sunday.

A Fellowship meeting will be held here at the Pentecostal church, Sunday, October 6, with all day services.

Homer Decker of Sikeston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bumpus, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Todd made a tour of Missouri, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Cleb Reynolds, and Misses Nellie and Thelma Reynolds motored to Piggott, Ark., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parris who have been working with the Highway Construction Co., for several months, left Monday for Mayfield, Ky.

The Bridge Club was entertained last week by Mrs. L. E. Estes of Essex. Mrs. Willard Bagwell received high score and Mrs. W. T. Wofford second-high. The club will meet this week with Mrs. Virgil Owings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smithpeter and family of Matthews and Mr.

and Mrs. Horace Smith, Wilma Ray, Nurine Lawn, Audie Lawn, Edward Lawn, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Newton of Matthews were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Carrington, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Todd, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bumpus, and Elizabeth Hart, made a business trip to Cape Girardeau last Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Lacy of Sikeston was the guest of her brother, Mr. O. D. Edwards and family, Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Wallace, the primary teacher for this year, turned in her resignation Monday. Mrs. Lewis Meyers is substituting until another teacher is hired.

A play entitled "Miss Blue Bonnet" sponsored by Lois Huber will be given at the gymnasium, Saturday evening, October 5. The cast is made up of home talent.

Mrs. Jack D. Edwards of Poplar Bluff, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards, Friday.

MRS. MARY E. JENKINS

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. Mary Jenkins, who died at her home, Saturday morning at 2:30 o'clock of asthma of the heart. Rev. M. A. Massey, pastor of the Methodist church at Steele, was in charge of the last rites.

Interment was made in the Sikeston cemetery. Dempster service.

Mrs. Jenkins was born in Johnson County, Ill., in 1878. She is survived by four brothers, namely, W. W. Baker of Viller, Ridge, Ill., J. F. Baker of Mound, Ill., Lee Baker of Mounds, Ill., and Fred Baker of Kewanee, Mo., one sister, Mrs. Martha E. Quilman of Flint, Michigan, and her husband, A. J. Jenkins.

Mrs. Jenkins has spent most of her life in Morehouse and had many friends among the people of the community.

McGee Case Continued
By agreement, a trial for

Claude McGee of Cape Girardeau on a charge of killing W. T. Carlton at Gray's Point on May 8 was continued until the November term of the Scott county circuit court when it was called on Tuesday. The trial has been tentatively set for November 11.

490 Bales of Cotton Ginned

Four hundred and ninety bales of cotton have been ginned at Sikeston's three gins since the season opened recently. The Planters' Cotton Company has turned out 115 bales; the Sikeston Gin Company has turned out 205; and the E. P. Coleman, 170. Ginning will be heavier soon.

Birth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook of Bertrand announce the birth September 27 of a baby daughter, who has been named Carmen Faye.

BACK-TO-FARM MOVEMENT GAINING IN MISSOURI

John F. Nicholson, state director of the rural resettlement administration, is authority for the statement that the "back to the farm" movement is gaining momentum in Missouri.

In a recent report Director Nicholson disclosed that the number of farmers in Missouri had increased 8.8 per cent during the last five years, as contrasted to a decrease of 10.2 per cent for a period from 1900 to 1930.

The resettlement administration has estimated that there are now 278,454 farm operators in Missouri, and that the average gross income of 14 per cent of them is less and \$400 annually.

In his survey Director Nicholson points out that "The number of people on farms is increasing and it is interesting to note that only half as many farm people are now going to the city in search of employment. At the depth of the depression, 1931-32, the tide of migration turned toward the farm."

The rural resettlement administration was designated to aid farmers by lending them money for purchasing farm equipment, material, livestock, refinancing mortgages, rent on land, repair of buildings, labor or professional service and subsistence goods.

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ALLOTMENT APPEAL DEADLINE OCT. 10

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The burden of the proof respecting an increase in the allotment rests with the producer.

The state adjustment board, to which all such appeals are referred, has definitely ruled that no appeal will receive consideration after October 10.

Anderson's Car Damaged

A Dodge car driven by O. F. Anderson of Benton, superintendent of Scott county schools, was slightly damaged Saturday when it collided with another in Cape Girardeau. The accident happened as Anderson was driving north on Ellis street. It was necessary to repair the radiator, headlight and a fender of the Dodge.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS TO SPONSOR PIE SUPPER

Plans for fall activity were made at the first autumn meeting of the Young Democratic club of Richland township, held in the City Hall Monday night. About thirty attended.

Within a week, members expect to begin holding a series of pie suppers at rural voting precincts in Richland township.

These men, appointed to committees by Hubert Boyer, the club president, will assist officers in strengthening the organization: Membership, Loomis Mayfield, chairman, Lacy Lewis, Vernon Kelly, Erwin Cox, and Clyde Causey; entertainment, Bill Baker, chairman, Ned Tanner, Wade Malcolm, Frank Miller, and Kendall Sikes; finance, Arba Senenbaugh, chairman, Charles French, Paul Rankin, A. C. Bar-

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Les Sexton is vice-president of the club; John Powell, secretary; and Harold Ance, treasurer.

POSTOFFICE NOW OPEN SIX DAYS EACH WEEK

A new postoffice schedule was inaugurated this week. Working in eight-hour shifts, employees will serve residents every day. Carriers will also work on Wednesday afternoon, when the postoffice was kept closed and mail delivery was discontinued last summer.

Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. Bland Wright and little son, Gene, were six o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gurley.

Mrs. Britt McGee and little daughter spent Thursday in New Madrid with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deane, Jr., motored to Essex Sunday to take their little son, Wm., 3rd, to Dr. J. P. Brandon for treatment.

Mrs. Lex Smith and Mrs. Amos Davis accompanied Mrs. Harrison Tanner, Mrs. Johnny Calvin and Miss Maud Adams of Sikeston to New Madrid Friday, where they enjoyed a bountiful dinner at the home of Mrs. Fred Dunn.

The occasion was Mrs. Dunn's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh May spent the week-end in Fruitland and Morley, with relatives.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson spent Friday near Canolou with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and son Charles spent Sunday near Bloomfield with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayo.

Mrs. Lem Hulsey visited her daughter, Miss Dorothy, in Sikeston, Thursday.

B. B. Conrad spent the week-end at his home in Marble Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Higgs are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born Saturday, September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Overton of Blytheville, Ark., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mills.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith Saturday and left an eight pound baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. George Andres went to St. Louis Friday, where Mr. Andres went to consult an eye specialist.

Mrs. W. V. Moore returned to her home in Casper, Wyoming after several weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King.

H. M. Gosnell of Lilbourn had business in Matthews, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Randolph and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Roberts and baby of Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Don

Kochel of Canolou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson returned Tuesday from Golconda, Ill., where she spent several weeks visiting relatives.

Perry, \$29,060; Ste. Genevieve, \$30,779; Butler, \$182,064; Cape Girardeau, \$44,955; Dunklin, \$381,992; Mississippi, \$156,892; New Madrid, \$230,216; Pemiscot, \$343,927; Scott, \$134,501; and Stoddard, \$314,756.

A definite trend toward business normalcy was seen recently by Secretary of Labor Perkins in reporting an increase of 180,000 workers on the payrolls of manufacturing industries in August, as compared with July.

Saturday, Oct. 5

Formal opening of the NEW-- CONOCO STATION AND LUNCH ROOM

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We cordially invite you to come out and inspect this modern station.

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A most unusual opportunity to secure a serviceable Top Coat right at the beginning of the season when chilly days and nights arrive unannounced. They are made of long-wearing, fine-quality top coatings—including renowned Harris Tweeds. There are varied Herringbones, Plaids, Checks and Plain Weaves in Oxford Grays, Brown and Tan Mixtures and Medium and Dark Gray Mixtures.

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NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

H. B. Masterson, State High School Supervisor, visited and inspected the Canolou High School last Friday. Neil C. Aslin, formerly of Bloomfield, is the superintendent and the high school teachers are Edwin W. Koerber of Cape Girardeau, Dorothy Curry of DeSoto, and Lenore Nickerson of New Hampton. They are operating on the 6-6 plan with the 7th and 8th grades and four years of regular high school work handled by the above teachers. A bus brings in all the 7th and 8th grade pupils from the rural schools thus making the Junior-Senior High School handle the entire upper six grades of the district. The bus is owned and operated by Aymon Newman. The school board members are President C. Caverno, W. O. Burnett, Z. C. Butler, Harley E. Barnes, W. M. Moore, James H. Coppage and Jas. D. Kochej is Secretary.

It is rather difficult for Superintendent Neil C. Aslin of Canolou to keep his mind on his professional business lately. The mental wanderings, absent-mindedness, and hesitating dignified step are prompted by the report of the birth of a bouncing baby lassie to his wife last Saturday.

A September bulletin from J. W. Studebaker, United States Commissioner of Education, tells us of the Robinson-Terry Act passed by the last Congress which authorized the RFC to loan up to \$10,000,000 for the refinancing of school indebtedness at 4 per cent interest. We have taken the matter up with the RFC with reference to District No. 20 which owes \$7,000 and is paying the high rate of 6 per cent interest. The interest is \$420 per year and they can hardly keep that paid to say nothing of paying the principal. The bondholders would probably sell at 40 cents on the dollar and then the government could take over the reduced loan of \$2800 at 4 per cent interest. The district would then be in a position to liquidate the debt in about 13 years. This adjustment would be similar to that of the Little River Drainage District. The Mr. Studebaker mentioned above is the same man who is co-author of the Standard Service Arithmetics which are used in this county.

A. F. Elsea, State Director of Education, has sent letters to all county superintendents informing them that it is illegal to admit five-year old children to our rural schools. He also states that they are too immature to do regular school work. We have a custom in many of our schools of admitting pupils who will be six by December 31, but pupils younger are out of place in school unless a kindergarten is provided and under no circumstances should a pupil be promoted from kindergarten to the second grade.

Parma teachers were first in the county to enroll 100 per cent in the State Teachers' Association, and with the enrollment of Robert Cecil Hines last week, Risco comes in as second in the race for 100 per cent.

Gideon teachers enrolled are: Supt. L. B. Hoy, James F. Miller, Nettie Jackson, Mary E. Parker, Stella Gaebler, Duane Axtell, Jean Walker, Florence Westmeyer, Eldridge P. Crow, Marie Cunningham, A. R. Pierce, Dewey Swinzel, Kathryn Schmuck, Mary Mumma, Marjorie Anderson, Alice Rhodes, Juanita Kink, Mary Lee, Pauline Milburn, Willard Johnson, Ona Weston, Paul Dixon, Rose Marie Walker, Orville Kinder, John Dickey. Gideon now lacks only four teachers of being 100 per cent.

Lilbourn has enrolled the following teachers: Supt. J. H. O'Connor, Owen J. Taul, H. E. Buckminster, Mayme Hamlett, Lindell Bagley, Marguerite Miller, Ira M. Rubottom, Floyd Liley, Mildred LeSieur, Mrs. Raymond Lloyd, Julia Stoker, Ruth Stearns, Frieda Sickery, Appalone Taul, Fannie Swilley, Ethel Bagley, Flora O'Connor. With the enrollment of four more teachers, Lilbourn will show up 100 per cent.

Other enrollments not reported are: Pearlina Byers Barry, Kendall School; Hazel Bradford, Walnut Grove. Ciella R. Liles, Grape Ridge; Eula Cole Kimes, Conran, Agatha Weaks Parks, Walnut Grove; Irene Van Bibber, Phillips; Virginia E. Twitty, Tinsley; Estelle Smith Horton, Farrenburg; Mildred Smith Stanley, St. Mary. We appreciate the fine response of the teachers and are proud of their loyalty to the profession.

Donald Joe Pepper, four-year-old son of Harve Pepper who lives in the Wilburn School District,

Don't Miss The Catholic Ladies Bridge-Pinochle Party
Second of a Series of Six
Thur., 8 p. m.
At
Marshall Hotel
Everybody Welcome

East of Matthews, died last Thursday with the Diphtheria and now his twelve-year old son W. H. Pepper has the Diphtheria. In such cases, the pupils of the school should be immediately vaccinated against the disease. If they are not able to pay for the serum, the school district can do this and by so doing they will get the serum at wholesale price. Dr. O'Bannon, County Health Officer, will come out and immunize the group provided you can get 25 pupils who need it. And the cost will be only 25 cents each. The district can afford to pay it if the parents are not able.

TWO MEN RODE CRUISER IN FLORIDA HURRICANE

The following, an excerpt from the Plant City Courier of Plant City, Florida, regarding M. P. Clark, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur of this city, during the recent Florida hurricane:

"M. P. Clark and F. G. Von Leue of Plant City, Florida, know what it is to ride out a hurricane in an 18-foot cabin cruiser, and no mistake about that. They 'took it' last Tuesday afternoon and night and most of Wednesday just north of the Cortez-Bradenton Beach bridge in a way they won't soon forget in the cabin cruiser owned by Mr. Clark.

"Cruising in those waters after having shoved off from Tampa several days before and cruised down to Pass-a-Grille and then down to the beach section the local mariners were caught in the storm Tuesday morning and started to put in for some place of refuge. They were unable to locate a cover as the wind increased in force and finally tied up to a stake some distance north of the bridge. This was Tuesday about noon.

"From then on it was cabin cruiser against the gale which Mr. Clark estimated reached a velocity of 70 to 75 miles an hour at times. The little packet stuck her nose in the huge waves that ran several feet higher than the boat at times. Emerging from the wave the packet would dive into another and so on and so forth as the two local residents manned their ship to hold her nose in the wind and keep her from being swamped by the heavy seas rolling into her side.

"The boat didn't ship much water, but at times it was necessary to man the pump. About 3 o'clock in the morning Wednesday the storm appeared to be at its height at least for the little packet. The wind was from the south and got a long sweep up over water and really churned the seas.

"Despite the tense situation during those long hours, both Mr. Clark and Mr. Von Leue were able to grab an occasional hour or two of sleep while the other stood watch.

"Mr. Clark declared he was sure he would have lost his craft if they had been able to tie her up and get to shore. A 30-foot

BROADWAY Cape Girardeau

SATURDAY MIDNITE SHOW Tickets at 11 p. m. picture at 11:30 p. m., also **SUNDAY** afternoon and night continuous from 2:15 p. m. Dixie Lee, John Boles and Jack Haley in

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"Case Of The Lucky Legs"

Warren Williams in Afternoon until 5 p. m. 10c and 30c; Night 10c and 40c

cabin cruiser went down at anchor a short distance from where the local mariners were and a 46-foot boat was washed ashore a few miles north.

"When the high seas subsided some Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Clark and Mr. Von Leue put in at a small cove near Anna Marie and hit the trail for home after breakfast a fast that had continued throughout their stay on the cruiser during the storm. Neither was any the worse for the experience, but still not particularly hankering to go through it again any time in the near future. Mr. Clark said it had been his greatest adventure, if it might be called that."

Mr. Clark will be remembered to Sikeston friends as the grandson of the late J. D. Peal of this city and cousin to Toby, John Louis and Sterling Watkins of Blodgett.

CO-WORKERS TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE OCT. 12

The Co-Workers of the local Methodist church will hold a rummage sale in the Matthews building on the corner of Malone and South Kingshighway, formerly occupied by Sensenbarger garage, on Saturday, October 12. The public invited.

Neighborhood Personal News From Big Opening

A host of friends and relatives surprised Mr. Ray Crawford Sunday with a birthday dinner this being his twenty seventh birthday. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Risner and children, Tony, Mildred and Geneva; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fears and children, John Fred, and Barbara Jean; Ernie Fears and baby, Jimmie; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Crawford and son James Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cantrell and Hazel Newton. All reported a nice time.

Mrs. Maloy Bell visited Mrs. Ferrell Bradford, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Louie Dewitt and daughter Zelpha, visited friends and relatives in Illinois, Sunday. Several from this community attended the rally day held at East Prairie Sunday. Many interesting programs were rendered.

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Our 37th Year in SEMO

Little Donna Joe Peppers departed this life Friday September 27. Death being caused by Diphtheria. He was the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Horne Peppers. Besides his father and mother, he is survived by one brother, and five sisters. Interment was made in the Big Opening cemetery. Rev. J. E. Evans of East Prairie conducted the services. Shelby undertaker, of East Prairie in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Moore and daughter La Wanda Sue spent Monday at the Jodie Kem home. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott of Sikeston, Sunday.

BENTON SCHOOL AMONG PWA PROJECTS APPROVED
Sixty-eight Missouri PWA projects, providing allotments of \$6,419,779, have been approved by President Roosevelt, it was announced this week.

The allotments are still subject to approval of Comptroller General McCarl, who will determine whether they qualify under provisions of the \$4,880,000,000 works relief appropriation. Those for Southeast Missouri are:

Poplar Bluff, a grant of \$21,273 for the construction of a public library.

Benton, loan and grant of \$32,727 for building high school. Loan \$18,000, grant, \$14,727.

Parma, loan and grant of \$38,182 for construction of water-works system. Loan, \$21,00, grant, \$17,182.

Cape Girardeau, grant of \$59,404 for construction of sanitary sewer system.

Bragg City, loan and grant of \$23,455 for building new school. Loan, \$14,000, grant, \$11,455.

Holland, loan and grant of \$51,773 for construction of school building and school addition. Loan, \$26,000, grant, \$25,773.

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THINK HATCHET KILLER HAS SLAIN AT LEAST 40

Iasi, Rumania, Sept. 30—Police attributed today seven more killings to the giant Vasile Teaciu, whose alleged confession that he murdered 21 persons through a pretty girl decoy has led authorities to refer to him as "the most wanton killer of modern times."

Officials expressed the belief that many more persons than the 21 he confessed to killing were victims of his hatchet during the last five years. Persons familiar with this countryside, where many men have strangely disappeared in recent years, placed the number of probable victims at 40.

PREPARE FOR THREE-DAY DEER SEASON IN MISSOURI

Hundreds of Missouri sportsmen will spend three thrilling days in the deep woods of the Ozarks when the deer season opens, October 24 and continues until Saturday, October 28. In preparation for the movement of venison hunters Montie Glover, Chief Clerk of the Game & Fish Department, is mailing to County Clerks 5000 special deer tags which sell at \$1.50 for licensed resident hunters. Non-resident hunters must pay \$50.00 in addition to their non-resident hunting license which is \$10.00. During the 1934 deer season 1626 tags were sold.

Reports received by the State Game & Fish Department indicates that the deer herds are as numerous as usual in the deep wilderness haunts of the animals, and that with good hunting weather another record kill of four-point buck deer should be made.

"MURDER AT THE MICROPHONE"—An unusual short story by Curtis B. Leland — Will be found in the American Weekly,

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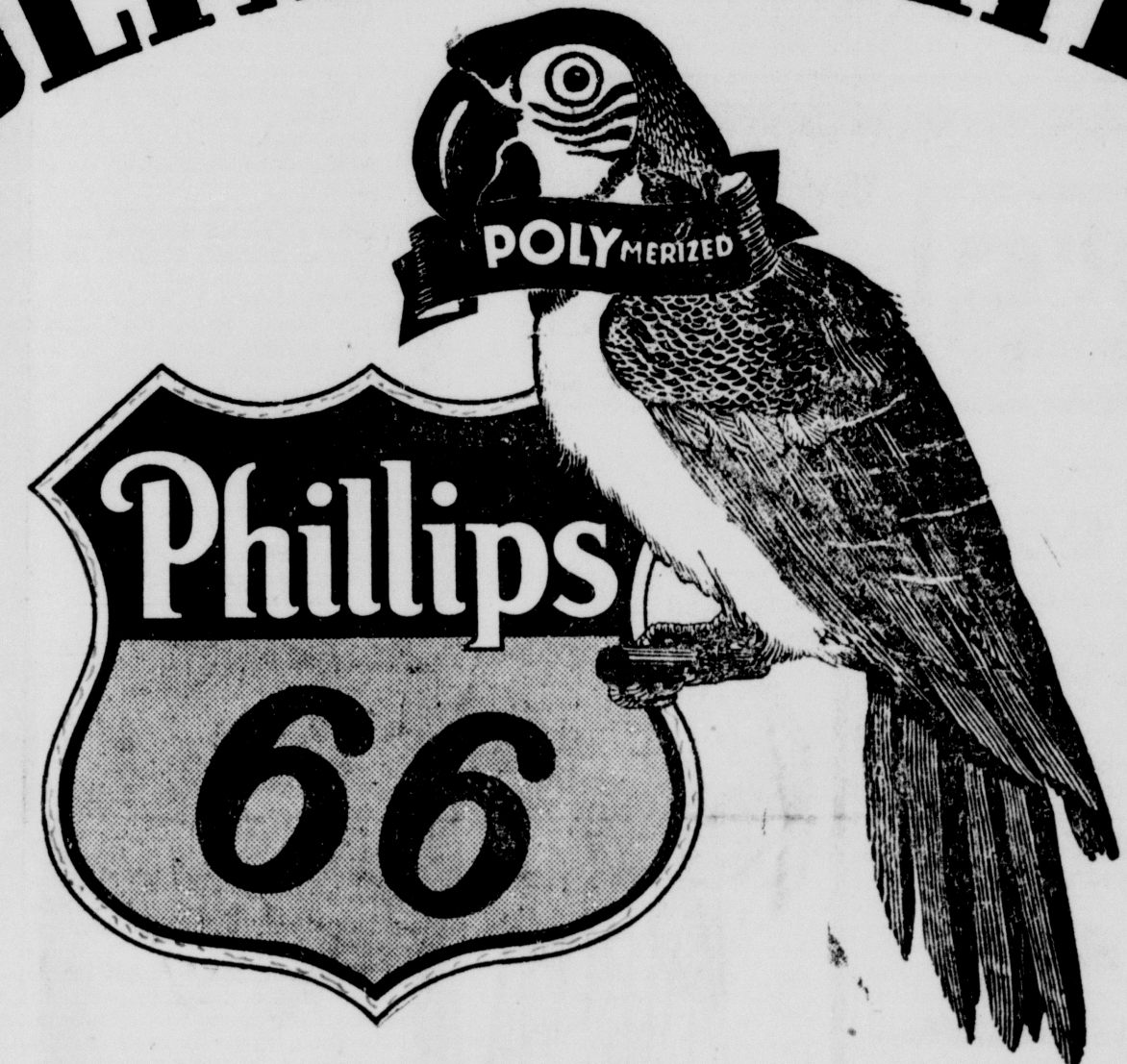
FIRE IS STARTED WHEN WATER HEATER EXPLODES

The Charles Boyce home on School street was filled with smoke Tuesday afternoon when a glass container of a kerosene water heater in the basement was broken by an explosion. Coal oil released ran across the floor and ignited paper in a trash basket. No damage resulted, however, and firemen who were called put out the flames with a garden hose. The residence is owned by Fred Schorle.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30—Cutting off of direct relief to three more states—Indiana, Nevada, New Hampshire—because of work relief programs, was announced today by the federal emergency relief administration as it allocated \$61,720,000 for the October dole. Missouri's relief grant for the month was \$1,500,000.

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AN INVITATION FROM THE PRESIDENT

Polymerization is a scientific revolution in the making of gasoline. This newly invented process produces premium quality motor fuel, not by physical separation of the crude petroleum as heretofore, but by chemical reconstruction of the lighter gases. Based on my 31 years' experience in the oil business, I can assure you that Phillips Gasoline plus POLYMERIZATION is the finest motor fuel that can be produced by the most modern refinery methods.

I invite you to try a tankful of this unprecedented gasoline. After you do so, I will be glad to have you write me any comments you care to make.

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Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. A. H. Reese, Mrs. Louis Farris and W. W. Lankford, Jr., were visitors in Cape Girardeau, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Meyer has been suffering from severe bruises, which she received when she fell down front steps at her home on last Sunday.

A perfectly good chance to meet old friends and acquaintances and enjoy the Bridge-pinochle party the ladies of the Catholic church are sponsoring at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

Mrs. Harry E. Dudley underwent an operation at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, Monday. Word received from Mr. Dudley, who was with his wife, stated that she was getting along nicely, and that he expected to return home Wednesday night.

Catholic Ladies, Bridge and Pinochle Party, Hotel Marshall October 3. Second of series. Not too late to compete for grand prizes.

Mrs. C. E. Brown and son of Hickman, Ky., are visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Malone. Mr. Brown is expected Saturday to accompany his family home.

Mrs. Maggie Jamison and Mrs. H. Freeland were dinner guests of Mrs. Paul Witt and Mrs. Nora Atherton, Route One, Wednesday.

Forget the hum-drum of life by enjoying a good bridge or pinochle game at Marshall Hotel October 3 sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

A. E. Shankle suffered a severe heart attack Monday night. He was reported to be improved yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Zacher received word this week that their son Z. W., Jr., who is attending Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., had made the Jabbawackey Society, which is the dramatic organization of the college, and also that he has the first clarinet position in the Westminster band.

Keep a place reserved in your date book for the Bridge-pinochle party sponsored by the Catholic Ladies at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

Mrs. W. L. Goggans and son, Howard, of Herbine, Ark., arrived Wednesday night to visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Green.

The Tanner-Salcedo club held an all-day quilting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. B. Robinson,

with 14 present. A covered dish luncheon was served at 12 o'clock. The next meeting of the club will be held on Thursday afternoon, October 17, at the home of Mrs. Ivy Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Athel McConnell of near Sikeston announce the birth Sunday of a son whom they have named Athel McConnell, Jr.

A boy was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Combs of Sikeston route one.

Why stay at home when you can enjoy a delightful evening at the Catholic Ladies Bridge and Pinochle party at Marshall Hotel October 3?

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson are the parents of a boy, born Monday. He has been named William Howard Robertson.

Zell Meatte left last night for Chester, Ill., to take over dining room in tavern there owned by Chas. Clayton of Cape Girardeau. Mr. Clayton is owner of the Colonial Tavern, Cape Girardeau. Zell has had years of experience in this line of work, and no doubt will make a success at Chester.

EBERT-KREADY SOCIETY

The regular business meeting of the Ebert-Kready Missionary Society was held at the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Arch Russell, president, presided.

A nominating committee was appointed to select names for new officers.

It was also decided to hold a rummage sale on Saturday, October 26.

The sum of \$32.00 was reported made from birthday party held last month by the society.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. Arch Russell on Thursday afternoon, October 17. Mrs. G. W. Presnell, assistant hostess.

GLEANERS CLASS OFFICERS INSTALLED

The Gleaners Class held its meeting on Wednesday night at the Methodist church.

A business meeting was held, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. E. J. Keith. A report of the year's work was given.

Rev. E. H. Orear installed the new officers, namely: President, Mrs. Wade Shankle, vice-president, Mrs. Ben Ritter; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Chris Francis, and hostess, Mrs. Ruth Malone. After the installation, the new president, presented the retiring president, Mrs. Keith, with a gift in appreciation for her services rendered while in office.

A musical program, under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth, followed the business meeting. Those taking part on the program were: Sunday school orchestra, three numbers; violin duet, Katherine Ann Cook, and Bill Van Horne; vocal solo, Mrs. E. H. Orear; reading, Mrs. John Fox; piano, Mrs. R. A. Moore; reading, Mrs. Robert Mow.

Refreshments were served. On each plate, besides the refreshments, was a wrist corsage, made of flowers from the garden of Mrs. Keith.

This was a very enjoyable meeting and enjoyed by all present.

DIZZY SPURNS \$20,000. SEEKS \$27,500 IN 1936

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 2.—Dizzy Daan reportedly will demand \$27,500 from the St. Louis Cardinals next year. A local paper today quoted Daan as saying, "I was offered \$20,000, an increase of \$1,500, yesterday, and turned it down because I feel I'm entitled to a bigger raise than that. I won twenty-eight ball games, more than any other major league pitcher and it wasn't my fault we lost the pennant."

M. U. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE RANKS FIRST IN PRACTICAL RESEARCH

The University of Missouri recently was granted the unique distinction of ranking first in the United States in the practical efficiency of its agricultural research, according to an address quoted this month in the official publication of Iowa State College. "Missouri still leads in the highest accomplishment per dollar," says this authority.

The quotation is from an address of the president of Iowa State College to the members of the Iowa State College staff and is printed in their publication of September 18th, as follows:

"Throughout the Twenty-year Plan there are many expressions of need for larger funds. In the aggregate I fear these would reach appalling sums. Undoubtedly the next twenty years will see larger sums available to the college, and many of these needs will be met. I feel however, that with about \$3,000,000 in our budget at present, we have a real problem to be sure we are getting the largest possible return for each dollar we now spend.

"A representative of the United States Department of Agriculture has visited Ames each year I have been here, and in 1927 I asked him which of the experiment stations was doing the best work. He did not answer this question but did say that the University of Missouri Experiment Station accomplished more per dollar spent than any other. I asked him the same question this year, and he answered in the same way—Missouri still leads in the highest accomplishment per dollar—but he added that Iowa State ranks relatively high in this comparison. I am very ambitious to see our experiment station accomplish more per dollar than any other station in the country, even more than Missouri."

Point Barrow Natives Cut Ice for Winter Water Supply

POINT BARROW, Alaska, Oct. 1.—Natives of Point Barrow were preparing for the long Arctic winter today by cutting and storing ice from the Tundra lakes for a good water supply. There are no wells, springs or other sources of good water except that obtained from melted ice.

Three hundred tons of ice will be stored for the use of the Presbyterian mission and hospital, of which Dr. Henry Griest is in charge. Dr. Griest, Mrs. Griest, and others have been ill here for several weeks. The Griests have virtually recovered and most of the other patients discharged from the hospital.

An epidemic of gastro intestinal diseases swept the native population with the appearance of the elder duck flocks. Such illness is prevalent, Dr. Griest said, in the fall and spring, when the natives gorge themselves upon wild fowl. Since the ducks have flown south the general health of the natives has improved.

Building construction in Kansas City increased 70 per cent in August, 1935 over the same month in 1934. The estimated cost of the work covered was \$249,000 this year as compared with \$245,000 for August, 1934.

ARKANSAS AND MISSOURI MEN ENLIST IN U. S. NAVY

From August 20 to September 30, 1935 the U. S. Army Recruiting Service has sent 208 men from Arkansas and southeastern Missouri to Ft. Riley and Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas for enlistment in the Army. These vacancies which have been the first available to this section of the country in over a year, were created by the recent increase in the Army voted by Congress. All the vacancies for Ft. Leavenworth have been filled. However, the Headquarters of the Army Recruiting Service at Little Rock, has received notice that approximately 400 further vacancies are available in the Cavalry, Field Artillery, Medical Corps and Engineers at Ft. Riley, Kansas. The main qualifications for enlistment without prior service are, limiting ages—18 to 35 years, at least 5 feet four inches in height and weight of 115 pounds, good moral

character, eighth grade education or better, citizen of the United States or legal declaration of intentions, and single without dependents. The nearest Army Recruiting Station for this vicinity is Post office building, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

OUTDOOR NEWS BRIEFS

Plans of landscape architects for development of Dr. Edmund A. Babler Memorial State Park, in western St. Louis County, were announced a few days ago. The park, larger than Forest Park in St. Louis, comprises 1412 acres lying south of Centaur Station, and adjoining Wild Horse Creek road. Babler Park was presented to the state more than a year ago and work of transforming the stretch of rolling wooded country has progressed so far that some of the facilities are now available to recreation seekers. At present two Civilian Conservation Corps camps are located in the park and

much preliminary work is underway such as the building of roads and trails and clearing of the grounds. Members of the Babler family announced last month that a perpetual trust fund had been set up for maintenance and development of the park.

"Quail are coming back in Missouri after several bad seasons," Marion F. Parker, Rod and Gun Editor of the St. Louis Globe Democrat, finds following a swing through central Missouri. Conditions are favorable with plenty of winter food in sight, he finds, but advises against heavy shooting this fall because of depleted coveys caused by three unfavorable years.

Ducks are beginning to come into the Lake-of-the-Ozarks and observers say quite a few hatchlings in the district. The larger varieties, however, are still up north.

During the fall of 1934 plans were inaugurated for the restocking of wild turkey in the Missouri National Forest, to prevent the extinction of one of the finest upland game birds in this part of the country. Increase in shooting of wild turkey in the state appears largely tied up with the development of state and federal forest game preserves. "Two reasons stand out for this," one sportsman recently pointed out. "One is that the wild turkeys are too easily domesticated and the other is illegal shooting, and the two are closely coupled." In the district where the restocking has taken place fine cooperation has been received, rangers say, but there are always a few who will not abide by the law and hunt during the regulated season; it is for these few that we need more adequate protection for our wild life.

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Fancy Sliced Breakfast Bacon No Rind No Waste LB. **39c**

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BANANAS Golden Yellow Dozen **15c**

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POTATOES 100 lb. Bag **99c** 15 lb. Peck **17c**

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

Elaine Barrie, the hunk of cheese who was on a pleasure trip of many weeks with one John Barrymore, actor, says that psychic forces assured her "he was my man, I was his woman." That tells the story. Now if she will take a real physic to counter the other psychic she may yet recover from her infatuation.

The way of the transgressor is hard, whether it be the crap shooter, the liquor drinker or the woman chaser. Neither of them is fit to handle the business of another. If a man is to fill a position of trust he must walk the straight and narrow path.

The last carnival company occupying the Rodes pasture south of the city, left an unusual lot of paper, cartons and other trash on the ground that should have been raked up in a pile and burned. As long as the American Legion has been sponsoring these carnivals it seems as though they should clean up after them, or see that the carnival folks do it.

The Standard is anxious to find a place in a small family for a young woman who is competent to care for house and look after a small child or two.

Lora A. Myers, Jeannes Supervisor of negro schools in Scott county is in receipt of a check for \$35.00 from the secretary of the Missouri State Fair in payment for the display of a needle work exhibit at the fair by negro children of the school of Scott county. This money will be used principally to secure materials for the schools who expect to make an exhibit at the state fair again in 1935. Many compliments were paid the exhibit as presented in August and officials have set aside three booths for next year instead of the one this time, and the Supervisor expects to use one of the booths for fancy needle work, another for dresses and underwear, the third for class room work. In years past there has been no display made at the State Fair by negro schools, Scott county being the only one and the encouragement given our negro schools is duly appreciated. Miss Myers has been maid to the master of the State building the last two fairs, therefore has been on the ground to properly arrange the display.

Mr. and Mrs. "Skeeter" Johnson of Washington, D. C., passed through Sikeston Thursday forenoon and called at The Standard office, but we regret we were out at the time. They were on their way from points in Mississippi to Nebraska, for a visit. Mr. Johnson is employed in Senator Pat Harrison's office under Miss Catherine Blanton.

The male quartet out of St. Louis who gave a program at Rev. Collin's Methodist church in this city the first four days of this week, was much enjoyed by those who heard them. Their songs were classed as spirituals and their harmony was perfect. Quite a sprinkling of white folks were present to hear them.

Complaint has been made to The Standard of the condition of certain sections of North Ranney Street where the new water line has been placed. The earth has settled leaving chuck holes that are dangerous to persons riding in automobiles. This may be up to the foreman of the gang laying the pipe line, or it may be up to the street commissioner, anyway it should be put in proper order to avoid a possible suit against the city.

The civilized world should pray that the Ethiopians may win the war, started by Mussolini to annex their country. May raging storms, pestilence, insects, vermin and bullets take liberal toll of the Italians, and the knives of the amazons mutilate all captives as they did forty years ago.

U. S. Forest Service officials are urging that rangers "be on their toes" and ready for action in case of fire reports from the field. "Fire is Public Enemy Number One of the Forest Service," said U. S. Regional Forester E. W. Tinker, Regional Forester, said last week in addressing his fire prevention and fire-fighting organization at Milwaukee. CCC road and planting crews are trained for fire-fighting duty on call, and this means quick get away to fires. "While the season has been very favorable since last June, the hazard will increase from now on. There has been a heavy rainfall which has brought a rank growth of grass. Unless grass continue running grass fires may result in conflagrations. The first frost dries up the grass and leaves which become highly inflammable and ignite from the slightest spark of a pipe or cigarette, Mr. Tinker cautioned.

The new Navy submarine plane given performance tests a short time ago, is now back at the Leaning plant for modifications. The plane was exclusively designed for a wing span of 100 feet, to be carried on submarines. It has a wing span when opened of fifty-two feet, maximum speed is one hundred and twenty miles per hour. When folded for storage it can be compressed to fit in a circle of about eight feet in diameter.

The vanity of being known to be entrusted with a secret is generally one of the chief motives to disclose it.—Samuel Johnson

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Await Approval For 48 National Guard Armories

Jefferson City, Oct. 2.—Construction of forty-eight National Guard armories in Missouri under the Works Progress Administration program is awaiting approval in Washington of a \$1,253,195 allotment.

Adj.-Gen. Harold W. Brown said today that neither he nor Matthew S. Murray, state WPA director, had been advised when action on the proposed statewide program would be acted upon by President Roosevelt's allotment board.

"A blanket request for the allotment was made by Mr. Murray," General Brown said, "and it may be that we will have to make separate requests for each armory."

The Adjutant General pointed out that no allotment had been brought under the WPA program for an armory at Kansas City because a large structure had been

planned for that city, and Murray was limited to \$25,000 requests.

Brown said Kansas City had sought \$500,000 for an armory under the Public Works Administration program, but did not know whether this project was approved. Proposed sites for the armories, under the WPA program, are:

St. Louis, St. Joseph, Springfield, Columbia, Maryville, Sedalia, Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff, Hannibal, Jefferson City, Marshall, Carthage, Nevada, Mexico, Booneville, Kirksville, Warrensburg, Fayette, Charleston, Chaffee, West Plains, Dexter, Festus, Marston, Steele, Caruthersville, Hayti, Farmington, Bloomfield, Kennett, Bernie, Desoto, Doniphan, Sikeston, Monett, Aurora, Lamar, Pierce City, Neosho, Anderson, Webb City, Sarsco, Clinton, Albany and Burlington Junction.

Residents To Appear On Masonic Meet Program

Several Sikeston residents will appear on the program at a quarterly dinner meeting of members of the fiftieth district Masonic association at the Methodist church Tuesday evening.

They include Dr. G. W. H. Pressnell, who will deliver an address of welcome; Mrs. H. E. Reuber, who will sing; Mrs. John Fox, worthy matron of the Sikeston Eastern Star chapter, who will give a reading; Mrs. E. H. Orear, who will also sing; and the Rev. E. H. Orear, who will give a benediction.

Before dinner is served at 6:45 by members of the Sikeston O. E. S. chapter, persons attending will sing "America," accompanied by

Mrs. Rubby Mott, and the Rev. D. M. Margraves will give an invocation.

H. M. Flanary, president of the association will respond to Dr. Pressnell's welcoming speech. Addresses will be given by the Rev. C. H. Morton of Cape Girardeau and by Ray B. Lucas of Benton and a musical reading by Miss Frances Marie Harman, Southeast Missouri representative of the Children's Home Society of St. Louis.

Ralph E. Anderson, Tanner C. Dye, and F. E. Mount, members of a committee on arrangements, have invited all district Master Masons and their wives and women friends to attend.

15 Education Projects Were In Operation When Program Was Stopped

Fifteen adult education projects were in operation in Scott county when the education program was halted Monday, according to Mrs. Esther Marshall Greer, master teacher for the county.

In Sikeston, Mrs. Minnie Smith and Myrtle Reed, a negro woman, were conducting literacy classes; Mrs. Rivers Tanner, a general adult education course; and Mrs. Della Poe of Oran, classes in home hygiene.

Mrs. Gladys Cummins of Morley, Miss Eva Sherfield of Forniell, Mrs. Lora McLain of Oran, and Miss Elizabeth Cahoon and Miss Amla Keller of Chaffee were teaching literacy classes in their own towns. In Chaffee, as well, Miss Opal Allen was conducting a parent education course;

Mrs. Celia Montgomery and Mrs. Rena Miller, general adult education classes; and Dewitt Harmon, a class in music. Mrs. Julia C. Clare had charge of a vocational education class at Vanduser.

Mrs. Greer, who supervised classes throughout the county, said Wednesday that all instructors are continuing their work without pay. The last of the classes was organized only on September 18.

The program was stopped Monday by the FERA, which has had charge of it since it was first begun. Education classes are expected to be resumed again soon throughout the state under the direction of the works progress administration.

Markel Convicted Of Manslaughter; Fined \$700

Dr. F. S. Markel, a 70-year-old, Allenville physician, was convicted of manslaughter and his punishment set at a \$700 fine by a Scott county circuit court jury that heard his case this week. Dr. Markel was granted ten days to file a motion for a new trial and to show good cause why it should be allowed.

Jurors returned a verdict at 10:30 Thursday morning after they had received the case late Wednesday afternoon. About fifty witnesses testified during the trial which began Tuesday.

Dr. Markel was charged with shooting Walter Givens, an Allenville youth, to death on Christmas eve 1931. In 1932 he was convicted of second degree murder and sentenced to serve ten years in the penitentiary. A new trial was granted following an appeal, but since that time the case has been continued because of the physician's illness.

At this week's trial, Dr. Markel contended that he merely shot a loaded gun into the air by his store while he was celebrating the coming of Christmas. The state established however, that five shots had been fired into a board fence near the place where boys were throwing firecrackers and that the bullet which entered Givens' brain, killing him, was discharged from Dr. Markel's gun. This last testimony was given by Thomas N. Lewis, a St. Louis ballistics expert. Dr. Markel

is also alleged to have shot a second youth in the neck.

E. M. Dearing of Potosi, judge of the twenty-first judicial circuit, presided at the trial, and Prosecutor Elmer Strum of Cape Girardeau county, represented the state. Jurors were Frank Williams, John Little, Andy Welter, Howard Kirkpatrick, Joe Welter, W. W. Lemmons, A. H. Deinken, U. B. Milam, Fred Gardner, Carlyle Bradford, H. L. Fields, and Jake Smith.

Dr. Markel's attorneys were James Finch and R. L. Ward.

The Ohio Division of Conservation is making an appeal to farmers and landowners to save "den trees." A dead tree may be a "den tree" and valuable as the home of some wild creature, squirrel, coon, or even the woodpecker. Many sportsmen's organizations are planning to arrange with farmers the lease or even the purchase of den trees to be left standing as a part of the wildlife conservation plan. This is an excellent idea and is recommended to all states and sportsmen's groups the "American Game" says.

M. C. North, fishing with a hand line and a 7-C hook, caught a 60-pound catfish in Current River a few miles below Doniphan. Jerry Price, a neighbor assisted North in landing the fish, after a terrific struggle.

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"



Ruth Chatterton, Columbia star, was a child prodigy, and created a sensation at the age of 9 when she gave a piano recital at Carnegie Hall, New York.

RIDDLE —
Who's a city editor in the morning,
a middle-aged producer in the afternoon,
and a decrepit banker in the evening?

ANSWER —
Thurston Hall! He acted the first role in "Atlantic Adventure," the second in "The Girl Friend" and the third on the same evening in "She Married Her Boss."

Wendy Barrie always kicks off her shoes between scenes.

Italian-Ethiopian Air War Is On

Geneva, Oct. 3.—The dreaded started today, in the view of the war between Italy and Ethiopia League of Nations, with official Ethiopian reports of an Italian air bombardment of Ethiopian villages and a battle raging in Agame province.

That a state of war existed, if not officially declared, was considered by League officials to be evident in a message from the government of Premier Mussolini referring to the "warlike and aggressive spirit" fomented by leaders of Ethiopia "who have long been demanding war with Italy and who have succeeded in imposing war."

The League Council was officially convoked for an emergency session Saturday morning to deal with the conflict.

Addis Ababa, Oct. 3.—Italian military planes bombed two Ethiopian towns today, killing and wounding a number of civilians, an official communique said soon after Emperor Haile Selassie proclaimed general mobilization of his 10,000,000 subjects.

A battle raged in Agame Province, the communique reported, after destruction of property as well as death to women and children in bombardments of Aduwa—where an Italian expeditionary force was crushed 40 years ago—and of Adigrat.

The King of Kings, whose general mobilization order set his native followers on the march to the front, protested to the League of Nations, alleging a violation by Italy of Ethiopia's frontiers, and a rupture of the League covenant.

Rasse Youm, governor of East Tigre Province, bordering on Italy's colony of Eritrea where nearly a quarter of a million Italian troops have been massed, conveyed the first news of the bombardment to the Emperor and reported that the results of the still-raging battle were unknown.

While historic Aduwa, Ethiopia's "Verdun," slept in the morning hours of today, Mussolini's airplanes bombed the city, the government announcement said, as a prelude to what might prove one of the most bloody wars in the history of the dark continent of Africa.

Word that numbers of women and children non-combatants were killed and injured horrified the King of Kings who dispatched his protest to the League immediately.

The Conquering Lion of Judah was reported to have sent four regiments of 50,000 soldiers to Aduwa, to meet an eventual Italian attack near Mussa Ali, where the Ethiopian government said it had established that Italian troops already had penetrated.

The Emperor's proclamation was read from the balcony of his palace by his chancellor, Haile

Wolderoufe after an emergency session of his crown council.

Over the primitive communication systems of all Ethiopia—by drums, couriers and town criers—the word spread, uniting Christians, Mohammedans, Pagans and Jews in a call to the colors to defend the independence of Ethiopia against Italy.

Masses of Ethiopian warriors already held positions on distant frontiers of the empire, bordering on Italy's colonies of Eritrea and Somalia, where 200,000 Italian troops had been massed by Premier Benito Mussolini.

The proclamation thrilled the martial Ethiopians especially because through the centuries they have regarded war as a sacred duty.

As the King of Kings pronounced the empire's first mobilization in 38 years, the news spread throughout the capital. Town criers read the decree on every corner.

At the same time the decree was published in towns and villages throughout the entire country.

The spirit of war seemed to seize even the churches, where bells tolled out while priests said prayers for victory.

The proclamation automatically released for national defense an enormous secret war treasure left by former Emperor Menelik.

The war chest left by Emperor Menelik included ten million gold lira indemnity, paid to Menelik after his victory at Aduwa in 1896.

Feudal chiefs, dressed in lion skins, together with thousands of lesser warriors girded with swords and rhinoceros shields, listened with tense nerves and grim countenances to the solemn call to arms.

Aides to the conquering Lion of Judah had estimates that at least two million warriors among Ethiopia's ten million men, women and boys would answer the call.

The mobilization day dawned brilliantly, and the hot African sun dissipated rain clouds enveloping the mountain and dried up the muddy streets.

People of the most remote villages of the kingdom ranging from Paran Negroes of Wallage Province, who eat alligators, to the wild tribes of Wallamo Province, who devour hippopotami, were shaken out of their lethargic existence into a frenzy of patriotism.

Mortal enemies, embittered by long unsettled family and personal feuds, buried the hatchet in their common desire to save the fatherland.

Native bards playing Biblical harps and chanting the Psalms of David aroused patriots to the

CARE TAKEN IN CERTIFYING RELIEF APPLICANTS SINCE ALL CAN'T GET WPA WORK

GRAVEL IN STOCKPILE PROJECT TO BE LET

Numerous projects for placing gravel in stockpiles in counties of the state highway department's tenth division are included in a list of work for which contracts will be let soon.

The letting will be the second to be held involving the works progress administration. Throughout the state 267 miles of roadway will be constructed at an estimated cost of \$1,630,800.

Eight and four tenths miles of concrete pavement will be built, 234 miles of gravel, 11.4 miles of gravel haul, and 13.3 miles of graded earth. Only the graded earth and gravel haul projects are to be undertaken with WPA funds.

Gravel in stockpiles projects will be let in Bollinger, Butler, Dunklin, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, and Wayne Counties, and graded earth in Butler.

highest pitch of martial ardor with their plaintive music.

As women heard the cry they broke into militant song, pounded drums and fired their men with the spirit of sacrifice and bravery.

It was a solemn day for all. Grey-bearded, bent heroes of Aduwa, now too old to go back to the wars, gave their magic amulets to sons and grandsons. They believe these talismans make the invulnerable to Italian gunfire.

Thousands of sheep were being slaughtered and their blood blessed by priests as sacrifice for victory.

Women of all degrees placed their babies in the care of elders and prepared food and goat's tallow for the march. Their menfolk packed buffalo skin blankets which also serve as beds.

BULLDOGS WILL PLAY CAPE CENTRAL TONIGHT

All members of the Bulldog football squad will go tonight to Cape Girardeau, where the Sikeston team will meet the strong Central high school players at Houck field stadium. These four men who have been injured in scrimmage will probably play for only a short time; Beal, an injured foot; G. B. Greer, hip; and Putnam and Walker, ankles. Next Friday, the Bulldogs will meet the Humes high squad of Memphis, Tenn., here for their first home game of the season.

Johnson Installs Legion Officers

Earl Johnson, a district American Legion committee man went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening to preside at installation of new officers elected by members of the Louis K. Juden post. Oscar Kaiser is the new commander.

Smith Denied New Trial

Floyd Smith of Cape Girardeau was formerly sentenced to life in prison Tuesday for the murder May 8 of W. T. Carlton after a motion for a new trial had been overruled. J. Henry Caruthers, Smith's attorney, appealed to the state supreme court, but since no bond was provided for Smith he was ordered transferred to the penitentiary in Jefferson City until action is taken on the appeal. Smith was convicted in the Scott county circuit court last month.

VESPERS WILL BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL OCT. 13

A vespers service will be held in the high school auditorium at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, October 13, Superintendent Roy V. Ellis announced this week. Members of the mixed chorus and of the orchestra who will attend the Southeast Missouri teachers' meeting in Cape Girardeau later this month will perform.

Junior Chamber Holds Dance

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and their guests danced in the Marshall hotel dining room after a regular weekly dinner meeting Tuesday evening. About fifty attended.

JESSE COTTON HEADS JUNIOR CLASS AT H. S.

At a meeting Monday afternoon, members of the junior class of the high school chose Jesse Cotton as class president. Mr. Cotton, who came here this fall from Winona, Miss., is a member of the Bulldog football squad.

Lucile Moll was elected vice-president; Mary Helen Johnson of Bertrand, secretary; and Mary Allard, treasurer. Miss Frances Burch was chosen sponsor.

Because works progress administration funds allotted to Missouri for undertaking WPA projects will be insufficient to care for all employables, great care must be taken in determining the actual need of all applicants for relief. A. H. Harrison, special representative in this district for the Missouri relief commission, stated in a letter sent to visitors Tuesday.

"The present influx of relief applications caused by certain economic conditions and other contributing factors places a very grave burden upon the personnel of the Commission," Mr. Harrison wrote.

"Under date of September 20, 1935, Mr. Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator, issued a bulletin stating that final approval of approximately twice as many projects has been made as can be financed with available funds. Consequently, it is readily admitted that the funds allocated to the Works Progress Administration of the State of Missouri will not be sufficient to afford employment to all of the employables on the relief rolls and certified as of May 31, 1935."

For this reason, Mr. Harrison has requested visitors to check carefully the histories of applicants. "Under no circumstances," he wrote, "shall a client be certified as eligible for employment to the Works Progress Administration unless he or she has a de-

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Apollo Group To Have Lunch, Meeting Today

Members of the Apollo group will convene today (Friday) for their fall meeting.

At 1 o'clock they will attend a luncheon at the Marshall Hotel, and at 3 they will go to the home of Mrs. H. J. Welsh for an afternoon program. These women will present the program: Mrs. Sam Gaston, Mrs. V. L. Bowles, Mrs. A. J. Goetz, Mrs. E. K. Ponder, Mrs. H. G. Sharp, Mrs. I. L. Parrett, Mrs. R. A. Moore, Mrs. F. W. Van Horne, and Mrs. B. F. Blanton.

The Program
Paper, "Music Appreciation for Children," Mrs. Sam Gaston.
Group I
"To a Wild Rose" (Violin), Mrs. I. L. Parrett.
"John Peel" (English folk song) and "Lullaby"—Brahms — Mrs. V. L. Bowles, Mrs. H. G. Sharp, Mrs. A. J. Goetz.
Group II
"Loch Lomond" (Scottish folk song)—Mrs. H. G. Sharp.

"How Scotland Sings Her Story"—Mrs. E. K. Ponder.
"The Campbells Are Coming", "The Blue Bells of Scotland", and "Auld Lang Syne"—Mrs. E. K. Ponder, Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. Sam Gaston.
Group III
"Serenade Roccoco"—Erick Meyer Helmund (Violin)—Mrs. I. L. Parrett.
"Waltz (C sharp minor)"—Chopin—Mrs. R. A. Moore.

Group IV
"We Fiddle Moon"—Hoffmeister—Mrs. E. K. Ponder, Mrs. H. G. Sharp, Mrs. A. J. Goetz.
"Rondo" from Sonata Op. 24—Weber — Mrs. R. A. Moore.
"Romance in the Life of Schumann"—Mrs. B. F. Blanton.
"Lotus Blume" Schumann — Mrs. V. L. Bowles.
"Allegro Molto" from Concerto Romantique Op. 35 — Godard (Violin) Mrs. I. L. Parrett.
Group V
"Venezia"—Nevin, Mrs. F. W. Van Horne.

100 Attend Field Meet At Experiment Farm

One hundred and two farmers and agents of nine Southeast Missouri counties met at the state experimental station north of here Tuesday to hear results of soil and crops experiments conducted since the station was opened five years ago.

Before actual results were shown, Ide Trotter, a crops and soil specialist for the state agricultural service, introduced Dr. W. C. Etheridge, professor of field crops at the Missouri College of Agriculture, who briefly outlined the history of experimental stations and listed valuable information collected.

While Dr. Etheridge walked over crops test plots with half the farmers present, Dr. M. F. Miller, assistant dean of the college and professor of soils, showed results obtained from soils experiments. At the close of first survey, the groups altered positions so that all men might learn the station's accomplishments.

After a lunch served by women

of the McMullin church, Dr. Miller spoke on soils and Dr. Frederick A. Middlebush, president of the University of Missouri, gave an address on agricultural work, saying he hoped the activities of experimental stations might be expanded.

Farmers who saw the soils experiments and the results of different kinds of fertilizer for ground used in raising corn, cotton, wheat, clover, and cowpeas, unanimously endorsed the work and asked that stations be established on additional types of soil. Other persons attending included B. M. Kink, assistant professor of field crops at the college; C. J. Hearne, state agent; and C. E. Rohde, secretary of the state cotton board, as well as board members. Only 100 farmers were asked to attend since a larger number cannot easily be accommodated.

A second field meet will be held in the spring and a third next fall.

ADULT EDUCATION WORK IN STATE TO BE RESUMED SOON

Jefferson City, Oct. 1.—The FERA adult education program, which was discontinued in Missouri because of lack of funds, will be resumed under the Works Progress administration, Alfred C. Moon, WPA director of education announced today.

He said the program would be "carried on just as soon as a project now pending in Washington was approved."

Wallace Crossley, state relief administrator, announced last night that the schools had been ordered closed until they could

be taken over by the WPA.

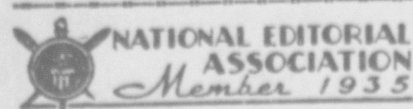
The adult education program which had been costing \$64,000 a month had been conducted for the past two years by the state relief administration in cooperation with the State Department of Education. More than 60,000 persons were enrolled.

H. S. BAND TO PLAY AT FOOTBALL GAME IN CAPE

Members of the high school band will go to Cape Girardeau this (Friday) evening to play at the Cape Central-Bulldogs football game. On Thursday, the band played at the neighborly celebration in Benton.

SIKESTON STANDARD

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Ex-Judge Jerry Mulloy of St. Louis county, lost \$1450 in a road house after drinking a glass of beer that he believed had been drugged. A road house was a fine place for an ex-law officer to be found. He got just about what was coming to him and besides what was he doing with that much money on his person.

Up to noon Tuesday, the old age assistance board had received 457 applications. The next meeting will be held at the Court House Tuesday, October 8, at which time the board hopes all applications will be filed. None of these applications have been forwarded to Jefferson City as orders were issued to hold them until called for.

Personal and Society News

From Oran

Miss Jessie Mason came up from Sikeston Saturday night to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Dillingham, Mrs. Earl Crader and Misses Helen McCord and Thelma Steele shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday afternoon.

Born, Friday night at 7 o'clock a 7 pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Evan (Bud) Stigall. The mother before her marriage was Miss Lucille Gravett. This is the first granddaughter in the Clarence Gravett family and the little baby was accorded a hearty welcome.

Miss Betty Jenkins and grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Halter were on the sick list last week.

Mrs. W. B. Myers was a recent visitor in Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston was a guest of Mrs. Lora McLain Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Hopper was here from Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Watkins and daughter, Mrs. Oda Dunning, and small daughter, Joan, Mrs. Mary Shingler, Mrs. Philip Streiber and daughter, Miss Lorene, were among the Oranites shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bryeans moved last week into rooms at the home of Mrs. Clay.

There was a sale of household goods Saturday afternoon at the home of Grandma Menz, who will make her home with her children. Mr. and Mrs. Resel, who have been living in rooms at the Claude O'Connor home, moved into the Menz dwelling.

Rev. Roland, Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Ellis, of St. Louis have been spending a few days at the Geo. Stier home. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Stier. They returned to St. Louis, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason and Mrs. Sam Tindal were business visitors in Cape Girardeau Saturday morning.

Dick Alfultis is spending this week in Farmington on business.

Mrs. Chs. Watson daughter, Helen and son Paul Davis, were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Dick Alfultis home.

A pretty double wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon when Miss Grace McCarty became the bride of Earl McAllister and Miss Imogene Pobst of Vanduser and Harold Gravett were married. The ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. Smith in Sikeston. The young men are in the trucking business.

Miss Olive Harper is home from St. Louis where she has been the past year in nurses' training.



Report Shows Missouri Projects Completed In Former Work Program

Now that the works progress administration has assumed control of all work programs and the Missouri relief commission is responsible only for direct relief, officials have reviewed their accomplishments since President Roosevelt approved the emergency relief and reconstruction act on July 21, 1932, but particularly during their administration of the former work program.

Since federal aid was first granted in September, 1932, about \$87,000,000 has been disbursed for relief in Missouri. A total of \$1,158,118 was spent during the last four months of 1932, funds released through the ERRA, which authorized the reconstruction finance corporation to lend state money for emergency relief.

The setup was changed in May, 1933, with the creation of the FERA and with abrogation of the repayment provisions of the 1932 act substitution of outright grants to states. Under the FERA, relief committees were established in 110 counties to work under the supervision of Wallace Crossley, Missouri administrator of the program.

The work program, which officials now review, was ended on July 1 because of a marked reduction in federal allotments. Numerous of the commission's other activities have been shifted to other agencies until it has jurisdiction over only one form of relief.

The direct relief problem is acute, however. After November 1, President Roosevelt has announced, federal allotments for direct relief will end and the burden of caring for unemployables will fall on the state and counties. "On September 1, we had a case load of 131,000 resident families and single non-family residents," a report states. "Of this number, something over 90,000 have been certified as able-bodied and eligible for employment under WPA. It is a matter of grave doubt, however, that WPA will be able to employ so many, even at its peak, and certainly not by November 1. With the coming of winter both the relief load and relief costs will increase. There will be no less than 50,000 cases—more than 200,000 persons—on the Missouri relief rolls who must be cared for when WPA is going full blast." Because many

C. L. Blanton, Jr., of Sikeston was here Saturday.

Mrs. Blanche Deever and daughter, Mrs. Vanita Koppert and granddaughter, Phyllis Jean Koppert, all of Corinth, Mississippi, visited Sunday with Mrs. Deever's sister, Mrs. Frank Mier.

A fine crowd of delegates from Sikeston, Benton, Chaffee and Formelt attended the zone meeting of the Women's Missionary Society here last week. An interesting program was rendered. Lunch was served by the Oran ladies in the church basement.

Mrs. Barry Finley and Mrs. Wm. Meinberg of St. Louis came Saturday to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Driskil.

counties are unable to assume their load and because the commission has already spent half of a \$6,000,000 appropriation made by the last general assembly, which enacted a one percent sales tax measure to raise the necessary revenue, the manner in which unemployables will be cared for is not yet entirely clear.

Much has been accomplished with relief money granted for undertaking and completing the former work program however. For that reason, a detailed report of activities during little more than a year is printed below.

At the close of the Civil Works Administration the Work Division was established to finish projects left in a state of incompletion and to provide work relief on a gradually diminishing basis for the months of April and May (1934). Headed by Dr. H. A. Buehler, State Geologist, whose services were lent to the commission by Governor Park shortly after the beginning of CWA, this division was a continuation of the engineering and project department that had been set up during the earlier program.

With the advent of the drought, a new two months' program was expanded, touching complex social and economic problems throughout the state.

"Under Dr. Buehler's jurisdiction was the general planning and supervision of all projects and activities concerned with providing work for those persons whose eligibility for relief was certified by the Social Service Division. Projects comprise all types of public construction, including buildings, roads, bridges, a sanitary works, recreational facilities, schools, and other types of construction. Also, under the supervision of this department were the so-called white-collar projects many production-for-use projects, such as mattress factories and sewing rooms, was a department under this division. In fact, all of the departments and programs that utilized work labor, such as cannery factories, emergency employment of school teachers, safety engineering and education, water conservation, and construction and production projects in connection with the rural rehabilitation program—all these manifold activities were intimately related and coordinated through the Work Division. Administration of the division fell under two general headings: Project planning and technical detail, which was handled by engineers in the state office; and field supervision and counsel, that was handled by a staff of district field engineers with a direct line of responsibility extending into each county where work supervisors and county engineers were responsible for actual construction practice and work performance.

The sudden termination of Civil Works left many projects incompleted and the first task of the Work Division was to complete unfinished projects, or at least, to put them in such condition

as to remove any hazard that might have resulted from their having been left incomplete.

The drought, affecting greatly the relief situation, necessitated the extension of work relief into strictly rural communities and the planning of projects to alleviate drought distress. Primarily, the funds expended by the commission were justified on the basis of relief giving; the needy were permitted to work out their budgetary deficiency, pre-determined by social service investigation. Thus, for example, farmers were allowed to work for seed to replant fields devastated by the drought made necessary certain divergence from this simple plan and the result was the initiation of certain special programs and in this group of programs were the corn fodder and seed corn projects, cattle handling and meat conservation, well drilling and water conservation and development.

In all, more than 9500 work relief projects were operated during the period between April 1, 1934, and July 25, 1935. These projects were thoroughly distributed as to sphere of activity. The drastic curtailment in federal allotments, necessitating the closing of the work program and the releasing of personnel, so far has precluded a final audit of completion reports and the compilation of accurate statistics on the physical accomplishments of the program.

However, from records so far gathered, and estimates from other sources, some of the results in various fields of activity can be approximated.

Road construction and repair comprised the largest classification of projects. Repairs, ranging from spot graveling of mud holes to the construction of drainage structures and high type gravel surface, were made on 75,000 miles of rural roads. More than 1000 miles of streets in small towns and cities were improved. A total of over 200 miles of roads and streets was built. Thirty-five miles of new paving and 35 miles of surface repair to paving were laid.

These mileages are exclusive of work done under cooperative projects with the State Highway Department—a program started early in September, 1934, with the idea of building farm-to-market roads and continued through July. The Highway Department report on the accomplishments of this activity has not been completed but preliminary estimates show the following: Clearing and graveling, 266 miles; grading, 348 miles; gravel and crushed stone surface, 219 miles; survey, 123 miles. In addition, the Highway Department used relief labor in maintenance projects in 72 counties and on scattered landscaping projects, such as setting out shrubbery along right-of-way etc. The Highway Department furnished the materials and supervision on this program, expending \$1,171,457.86 while relief expenditures for labor amounted to \$669,549.46.

More than 200 bridges and

large culverts were constructed and twice that number were repaired.

There were projects for building 11 rural school houses, 13 consolidated school houses, and 4 city schools. Other projects were executed for repairing or improving more than 500 rural, 200 consolidated and nearly 200 city school properties. Projects entailing construction of, or repairs to, 250 other public buildings were undertaken. These include county court houses, municipal power plants, city halls, relief offices, and other publicly owned structures.

Sanitation and flood control projects were developed, especially in the lowland region of Southeast Missouri. Sanitary work in connection with malarial control resulted in the clearing of more than 400 miles of drainage ditches. In addition, 60 projects for repairs or improvement to ditches, levees, and riprapping were undertaken in anticipation of the spring floods of 1935. During the high water period, emergency projects provided for the patrolling of 70 miles of major levees along the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers.

Other sanitation projects included the erection of five sewage plants, the laying of 100 miles of sewer lines, and the construction of more than 1500 sanitary privies.

Public utility projects resulted in the laying of more than 40 miles of water mains, 2 power lines, several municipal power plants and many wells and cisterns in rural areas. This does not include the laying of emergency pipe lines, the drilling of wells and installation of pumping stations—all undertaken as emergency drought relief. A total of 1478 well drilling operations was undertaken during the crisis of the drought when water for human and live stock consumption

was sorely needed in rural areas. Forty new recreational grounds, Parks, playgrounds, athletic fields and school grounds—were developed, while nearly 800 others were improved. Recreational facilities, including the construction of 9 swimming pools, numerous band stands, stadiums, and tennis courts are included in this classification. In addition, work was carried forward on six airports.

Sewing rooms were operated in every county, producing more than 500,000 garments for distribution to persons on relief. The making of mattresses from cotton and ticking furnished as federal surplus commodities was undertaken in many centers. Eighty thousand 50 pound, and 37,559 cot-size mattresses were produced.

A tannery was operated in Greene County for the production of leather from drought cattle hides. The bulk of the leather was used in making wearing apparel. It also was cut in strips for use in 18 shoe repair shops operated as relief projects, and the remainder found an outlet in shoes where harness was made for use by families being cared for under rural rehabilitation.

Projects for the construction of household furniture and other household necessities were operated both at Springfield and at Flat River. Tables, beds, chairs, and smaller articles were produced in large quantities.

Orthopedic appliances for indigent crippled children were made in conjunction with the Missouri Crippled Children's Service at the University of Missouri.

A bedside and home nursing program, employing 147 nurses, extended health service into 84 counties. More than 12,000 home visits were made.

A census of the crippled chil-

dren in Missouri, undertaken during CWA, was completed. A large number of research projects were developed, which employed technical and professional persons. These included the geological survey project which concentrated on the conservation of development of the State's water resources and the carrying on of topographical mapping in Missouri. The work of the Missouri State Planning Board was made possible by an FERA project that provided for an economic and social survey of the state.

Mrs. R. L. Thomas and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Luke Thomas

and children, Bonnie and Bob, spent Saturday night with their daughter and sister-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Kellett of Salcedo. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellett had the following for dinner guests, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kellett and daughter, Colleen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomas and sons, Chas. Jr., and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Ovie Hayes, Mrs. Luke Thomas, Mrs. Robert Thomas of Sikeston, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Hayes of Thayer, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Milage Rose of Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. W. A. Kellett is visiting in East St. Louis, Ill., with her daughter, Mrs. Claud Culp.

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By Chuck Cardoch

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Season after season the motion picture industry discovers something new in the way of entertainment so that the great motion picture-going-public are provided with a variety of pictures.

At the present time Hollywood has dashed into the New York Metropolitan Opera house as well as dozens of other concert organizations for talent for forthcoming opera and musical pictures.

Lily Pons, the petite star of opera, is currently starring in "Love Song" while Grace Moore, who has just returned from an European tour, will play the lead in "Marsellaise" her next picture. Lawrence Tibbett representing the masculine portion of the opera world is starring in "Metropolitan". Gladys Swarthout, one of the outstanding opera personalities is making her screen debut in the "Rose of the Rancho" an original screen operetta.

Other famous concert artists include Madame Schumann Heink, Jeanette Mac Donald and Nelson Eddy.

Joan Crawford, whose personal interest in opera is well known in Hollywood, believes that the screen of tomorrow will demand golden voices of its stars. "The trend has already begun," she said, "and I believe it will continue with the further education of all of us toward an appreciation of better music."

Star-Lites: Joan Crawford is not contented to have just one leading man in her next picture, "The Gorgeous Hussy", but will have four leading men, one of whom will be Brian Aherne. A perfect assignment for Miss Crawford to play the part of a tavern keeper's daughter, who began to shock Washington at 15 and continues thru a tempestuous career into the very heart of Capitol Hill... The ten-strike of the cinema year is the bringing to Hollywood of the petite and charming English comedy star, Jessie Matthews, who played the dual role in that marvelous English picture "Evergreen." She'll play the leading female role in the musical "This Time It's Love" with Robert Montgomery and Clifton Webb. The music is being written by Brown and Freed. Warner Baxter has been cast for the lead in "King of Burlesque" which marks his return to an impressive role. With him will be Alice Faye and Jack Oakie.

FASHION LITES: Shoe Lace trimming is the latest thing for hat ornamentation! It was introduced on the M-G-M lot by Myrna Loy, whose new fall hat boasts a shot lace trimming. The lace starts at the center of the crown and continues down to the brim where it ends in a pert bow. Myrna has matching shoes laces on her smart street oxfords.

Maureen O'Sullivan has hit on something decidedly new and effective for evening wear! They are hair-ribbons fashioned from cellophane! The cellophane hair-bows give a glistening, glass effect, particularly striking under artificial light. Maureen has them made with the bow already tied. They fasten beneath her hair at the back. The bow is made to


slip along the band so it may be worn either in the front or at the side.

DO YOU KNOW: That Eleanor Powell considers the number 13 her luckiest, and that every important happening in her life has occurred on that date?

ON THE SET: Brian Aherne, Joan Crawford's new leading man in "I Live My Life", tells us that he doesn't want to be a star! He explained, "I'm having a better time now than stardom could ever give me." Your correspondent thinks this promising young man will be plenty of competition for the Gables and the Montgomerys... Lawrence Tibbett, who's making "Metropolitan" and who sings a popular song in this picture, says, "Don't be ashamed of your love for jazz. I like modern music, even though many people raise their eyebrows when I admit it. Too many people profess to 'just love' classical music when they can't even approach a proper understanding of it."

INSIDE GOSSIP: The former silent screen star who can be seen in the company of the English actor is Gloria Swanson and the Englishman is Herbert Marshall.

What noted film comedian is reported to be "just that way" about a certain former silent screen feminine star, who has two sister also silent screen actresses? That's all for today. Wait until next week.



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- PERKINS, TUESDAY, OCT. 8.
- KELSO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9.
- CROWDER, THURSDAY, OCT. 10.
- VANDUSER, FRIDAY, OCT. 11.
- MORLEY, MONDAY, OCT. 14.
- CHAFFEE, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY OCT. 15-16.
- DIEHLSTADT, THURSDAY, OCT. 17.
- ORAN, FRIDAY, OCT. 18.
- SIKESTON, MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 22, 23.
- ANCELL, THURSDAY, OCT. 24.

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Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

Pauline and Maryline Mathis of Wardell are visiting with relatives here this week.

Raymond Johnson and Willard Sanders made a business trip to St. Louis, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bohannon and children of Pharris Ridge spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mrs. Owen Johnson had as her guest Sunday afternoon: Mrs. Murray Lee Phillips of New Madrid.

Several from here have been attending the revival which is in progress at Pharris Ridge School house. The services are conducted each evening by Rev. Austin Cowgour and Rev. Hedges of Ill. Margaret and Mildred Crosso and Zelma Kem, Raymond and James Johnson and Marion Shipman attended the matinee at Dexter, Sunday afternoon.

Those who were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Lomax and sons, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and children. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tanner and children of Kewanee, Joe Seaton. Mr. and Mrs. Les Edwards and Mrs. Jessann Lomax and daughter of Pharris Ridge. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and children.

Louise Kem spent Sunday night

with Mary Bohannon of Pharris Ridge.

Inell Moore, Mildred Lomax and Pauline Mathis were Sunday dinner guests of Edwyna Johnson. Joe Sutton of Kewanee spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Rhodes and grandson, Chas. of Kewanee, spent the week-end with the former's daughter Mrs. James Lomax and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crosso and daughters, and Mrs. Owen Johnson and children were among those who shopped in Siketon, Saturday afternoon.

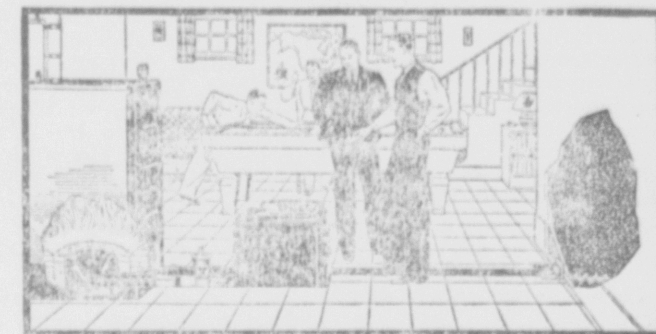
Iowa is edging in on the claims of Wisconsin for hibernation records. Eighty-three-year-old Gilbert Smith of Mondamin, Ia., is a "human groundhog" himself and plains.

unimpressed by the hibernating feat of Arthur Gehrike, Watertown, Wis., tired man, who has spent the last 19 winters in bed. "Huh, I've retired to my bedroom to sleep, read and smoke all winter for 15 years. And I don't come out for months at a time," he declares. It's the cold which drives him under the covers, Smith explains.

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MORE SPEED ON HIGHWAYS

Sir Malcolm Campbell's recent speed record of 300 miles per hour startles us but we all say "What does it mean to us?" "Well never drive that fast." That's correct, but past experience shows that these showman performances have been a pretty good advance indication of what the general motorist will do in his own has on the highway.

The old record of Bob Burman stood at 143 miles per hour for years and during that period the motorist's driving speed ranged around thirty miles per hour. A few years ago the record went up to 272. Then the motorist's speed approached sixty. If Campbell's speed is a criterion, and indications are that it is, we can expect the normal driving speed on the highway to go still higher.

While no one can predict that speeds of 100 miles an hour will become common, nevertheless roads which will supply reasonable safety at that speed are needed to insure adequate safety for present-day common road speeds. Bridges and other structures are built with a factor of reserve strength under the heaviest loads. Similarly, highways must be built to be safe at speeds much greater than will be generally traveled.

Perhaps the most important factor of all is an even non-skid and stable driving surface. Traveling at high speed a car will swerve or lurch dangerously upon striking waves, bumps, holes and slippery spots which cause very little trouble at low speed. All this points to the necessity of constructing pavement that is structurally strong and retains its even non-skid texture. The rigid type, concrete, has great structural strength and for this reason rigid pavement stands up under terrific punishment.

A LETTER RESIDENT WRITES AGAINST COMPULSORY HOME STUDY

It is little short of criminal to force small children, those in the elementary grades, to do studying at night, mainly that the teachers may hear them recite the lessons at school.

Children need to retire, early for the sake of health, and so the evening hour, after supper, should be for rest, recreation and relaxation.

The family, too, should not be disturbed and upset with school problems. The child should take home only pleasant memories of the day's work.

Let the teacher do more teaching and less hearing of recitations. In fact, let the recitation period be an instruction period, and the study period then become a learning period. The pupil may then recite at home something learned during the day.

This will throw the child upon his own resources and the sooner the better. The more home study, the more parent work and less reliance on self. Only such work as the child chooses to do, such as the reading of library books, should be permitted.

In the higher grades, even, a minimum of home study is more conducive to a better day's work at school. Proper utilization of the school day will leave the home open for the pursuit of leisure, which may be well directed by the school towards literature, music, art, sports, hobbies, and other worthwhile activities.

Besides, the school should not usurp the child's entire time. The church and community, and even the home itself might like to get acquainted with the children and do each other some good. A Taxpayer.

DIVISIONAL MISSIONARY MEET TO BE HELD TODAY

Members of the Baptist women's missionary union of the Sikeston division will convene in Dexter today for an annual meeting. About fifteen Sikeston women will attend, including Mrs. Paul Higgins, who will speak.

Mrs. Frank Hequemboing of Charleston, divisional chairman, will have charge of the all-day program. In the evening, members will hear a stewardship declamation contest conducted by the young people's group.

Several state officers and approximately 200 women from six Southeast Missouri counties are expected to attend.

COLLEGE ALUMNAE GROUP TO MEET HERE IN WINTER

Mrs. Tom Allen, Miss Ruth McCoy and Mrs. L. E. Ordeltelheide went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening to attend a meeting of the Southeast Missouri Stephens College Alumnae association. Other members were present from Cape Girardeau, Charleston, Kennett, Jackson, Morehouse and Cairo, Ill. The next meeting of the association will be held here in December.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY GROUP TO CONVENE

A meeting of the Baptist women's missionary group of the Charleston association will be held next Tuesday at the Gravel Ridge church near Charleston. Mrs. Morris Craig of Illinois will preside at the meeting, leading a discussion on the announced subject: "The Banner of the Cross in Foreign Lands." Mrs. O. F. Sitzes of Sikeston will lead devotions.

Three Visit Dexter School

Superintendent Roy V. Ellise, Miss Florence Crisler, principal of the grammar school, and William E. Mahew, head of the high school, went to Dexter Tuesday to visit the schools and to see Robert Harper, the superintendent, who was formerly school inspector for this district.

THE WEATHER

These high and low temperatures have been recorded by John LaFont at the Frisco station:

	High	Low
Tuesday	76	52
Wednesday	73	39
Thursday		45

A total of 1.30 inches of rain fell late last week.

Installs Bluff Legion Officers

Earl Johnson, Southeast Missouri district committeeman of the American Legion, went to Poplar Bluff Thursday evening to install recently elected officers of the Bluff Legion post. He was accompanied by Ben Welter, Tanner Dye, Lyle Malone, and Tom Roberts.

Sikeston Standard, \$2.00 a year

CITY DISMISSES FIGHTING CHARGE AGAINST BECK

City Attorney Robert A. Dempster on Thursday dismissed a peace disturbance charge against Homer Beck, filed in police court a week ago by his wife.

In her complaint, Mrs. Beck accused Beck of fighting with her and their daughter. Beck has been free on a \$100 bond since his arrest September 26. Mrs. Beck, it is understood, will soon file suit for divorce.

A preliminary hearing for Beck on a charge of shooting the Rev. A. L. Shoemaker on August 29, was postponed until next Thursday when it was called in Judge William S. Smith's court yesterday. Beck allegedly shot Shoemaker because he objected to the minister's attention to his daughter. He is free on a \$1000 bond.

EBERT-KREADY TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE NOV. 2

The Ebert-Kready Missionary Society of the local Methodist church will have a rummage sale November 2 in the Matthews building on the corner of Malons Ave. and South Kingshighway formerly occupied by Sensenbaugh garage. The public cordially invited.

Dan Taylor Taken to Hospital

Dan E. Taylor was taken to a Cape Girardeau hospital Thursday morning for a blood transfusion. Mr. Taylor has been in bed two weeks suffering with typhoid fever, but he did not become seriously ill until yesterday morning. He was taken to the Cape in the Albritton ambulance.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Stewart of San Diego, Cal., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stewart of near Sikeston. Dr. and Mrs. Stewart were for many years residents of this city.

The OCC enrolled strength in Missouri now totals 16,955, according to recent announcement. The original expansion quota for the state is 18,000.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear nose throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday, Glasses fitted. tf-102

The Naval Bureau of Aeronautics maintains a progressive policy and encourages experimentation. Through its encouragement, the development of the air-cooled engine for aircraft was undertaken. The United States Navy has been responsible for much of the progress in aerial navigation, communication, and means of flying from and landing on board surface vessels, and has developed a small plane capable of being carried by submarines.

Roaring River State Park will undergo additional extensive improvements with the closing of the season on trout October 31. Twenty new modern cabins will be built in addition to a 25-room lodge where meals will be served and equipment for anglers furnished. Hugh Brixley, the Superintendent at the park estimates 100,000 will have angled for trout at the river this year by the time the season closes.



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RECOVERY NOTES

Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.

Leaders of America's machine tool trade, known as an accurate forecaster of general business, estimated recently that the 1935 volume of this industry will approximate \$150,000,000—about \$20,000,000 more than in 1929, the biggest previous year in its history.

Newspaper circulation figures have shown a decided upturn and many have reached their 1929 peaks, says George Moffet, president of the Central States Circulation Managers' Association. He asserts that the improved circulation figures reflected a general improvement in business conditions.

Retail trade in August was about 5 per cent ahead of July and 7 per cent above August last year, according to Standard Statistics, Inc. September retail prospects are generally good, it stated.

Bankers "can really sleep at night now," declared Rudoff Hocht, president of the American

Bankers' Association in a recent address in Massachusetts. He said a greater feeling of security exists in banking circles at present than has prevailed in years.

Revenue collections by the national government for the fiscal year ending June 30 were \$27,196,377 greater than in the like preceding period, announces Guy T. Helvering, Internal Revenue Commissioner. For the past year they amounted to \$3,299,435,572.

Loading of revenue freight for the week ending August 31 totaled 679,861 cars, the American Railroad's announcement. This was 53,498 cars or 8.5 per cent, more than for the preceding week, and 32,330 cars more than for the corresponding period of last year. The figure for the week was above the best weekly figure for any week during 1934 or 1935.

An improved financial situation for the farmer, increasing retail sales, rising bank deposits, growing building activity, improved demand for business and residence property and a steady increase in advertising lineage, are cited in a recent statement by the Missouri Press Association as evidences that a definite economic upturn is under way in Missouri. The statement was issued by Chas. W. Koller, field secretary of the association.

The Edison Electric Institute

reports that electric production for the week ending September 21 totaled 1,851,541,000 kilowatt hours, an upturn of 1.3 per cent over the preceding week and a gain of 13.5 per cent over the corresponding week of 1934.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending September 19 were the lowest for the year to date, Dun and Bradstreet announces. The total for the week was 184, compared with 195 and 203 respectively for the two preceding weeks.

Bank clearings continue to soar. For the week ending September 25 they totaled \$5,040,128,000, against \$4,193,234,000 a year ago, an increase of 20.2 per cent. The feature throughout September has been the uniformity of gain in comparison with clearing a year ago at most cities.

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To produce a permanent population of upland game it is obvious that farmlands must possess adequate cover for protection at all times of the year, places for nesting and rearing young, a year round supply of food," suggests R. E. Yeatter, Game Specialist for the Illinois Department of Conservation, in his recent bulletin on management of upland game. The great majority of farm are lacking in one or more of these requirements and therefore possess a minimum of game and other wildlife, it is pointed out.

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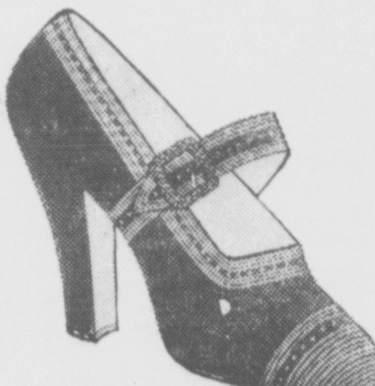
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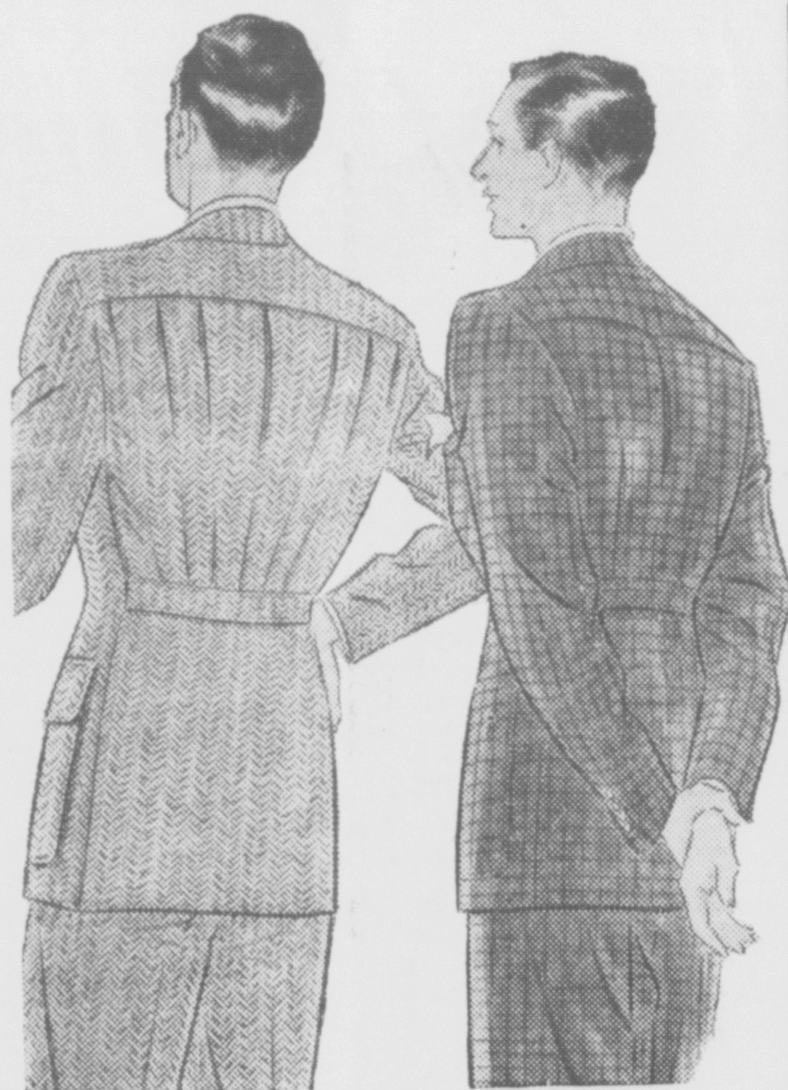
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LOOK ON STORY PAGE

from the KELVIN KITCHEN by Joan Adams

(Editor's Note: If you have a question on home-management, send it with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Joan Adams in care of this newspaper. Miss Adams will answer your question personally.)

MEATS THAT SAVE THE SITUATION

We hardly need mention what the situation is. Do you remember grand old days when we could plan our menus matter-of-factly around luscious steaks and great juicy roasts, unhindered by the obstacle of price? Already those days are disappearing into the mists of memory, and except for Sundays, holidays and high occasions, we must make a serious

business of marketing and menu planning.

Stewing, pot-roasting and all the moist heat methods by which a cheap, less-tender cut of meat can be transformed into something savoring and tempting, are superseding the roasting and broiling of the good old steak-and-chop days, for our every-day dinners.

But have you noticed how a stew seems to take possession of the whole plate, and how it contains so many vegetables that it makes anything else on the plate seem superfluous. Yet something else is needed, if only for texture and color contrast.

One way to keep a stew within bounds is to serve it in the little bread croustades, so simple

to make an attractive, when toasted to delicate golden brown. A baked tomato will usually hold its own on a plate with stew; so will Brussels sprouts, buttered beans, free of excess moisture, or rice. Watermelon pickles are also first-rate company with Irish stew or pot-roast.

The lowly hamburger is in a class by itself for price these days. It will be discovered to be very delicious in meat loaf, meat balls with tomato sauce, and patties served with fried onions. It also combines nicely in casserole dishes with noodles, rice, macaroni or spaghetti. At present, lamb and veal are our least expensive meats, aside from such things as corned beef, hearts, beef liver, and hamburger steak, with "touch bottom". Chicken, especially stewing hens, is less expensive now than most meats. Fryers can be had for three quarters of a dollar in many markets, and for even less.

Round steak and kidneys, two inexpensive numbers in the butcher shop now, make the famous Canadian meat pie, which is baked beneath a delicate blanket of unweet-piecrust. Another use of round steak is the savory "Carbondale Flamande" of the frugal Belgian housewife. It takes the Europeans, long trained in economy of the most exacting kind, to make the most of less tender meats by their art of long, low cooking and skillful seasoning.

If years of habit have accustomed you to the joys of roasted meats, try a breast of veal, which is comparatively inexpensive. Have a deep pocket cut in a four-pound piece and stuff the pocket with an onion and sage dressing before sewing it or fastening it securely, dredging the roast with flour and seasoning and roasting in the usual way.

Meat loaf is one of the most appetizing methods of using less costly meats, and there's nothing more delicious in a dinner of scalloped potatoes and green peas.

Lamb Ragout, Parisian Style
2 lbs. lamb cut from the shoulder.

6 onions
1-2 lb. mushrooms
2 tbsp. butter
6 boiled potatoes
1 tbsp. lemon juice or wine flavor. Few grains of salt, pepper, thyme, bay leaf and garlic.
1 pint tomato sauce.

Cut the meat into two-inch pieces and fry a golden brown. Drain off the fat, and add a little water. Add the various seasonings. Boil and skim off fat. Then simmer for one hour. Now add the onions and mushrooms which have been fried in the butter. Pour in the tomato sauce. Just before serving, add the potatoes, cooking them just enough to warm them up. (Serves six).

Carbondale Flamande (Belgian)

2 lbs. round steak.
1 tsp. drippings
1 tsp. vinegar
1 tbsp. French mustard.
6 Chopped onions
1 clove garlic
2 slices of bread
1 tsp. sugar
Pinch of salt and pepper.

Brown the meat in the drippings. Then remove the steak and brown the onions in the same fat. Place the meat in a baking dish with the onions, adding the garlic and salt and pepper. Spread the mustard evenly over the slices of bread. Place the bread over the meat. Add one and one-half cups of water and cook slowly for one and one-half hours. Add vinegar and sugar to flavor the gravy a short time before removing from the oven. Nutmeg may also be added. Serves 8. Add flour mixed with vinegar to carbonate and simmer for 5 minutes for thickened gravy to pour over meat.

Round Steak Paramout

Have a slice cut from the top round about 1 1-2 inches thick. Brush vegetable oil over it generously, cover with waxed paper, and place in refrigerator for several hours. When ready to cook, turn onto floured board and pound

flour in with wooden mallet. Season with salt and pepper and broil or fry quickly. Serve with mushroom sauce.

May Enter Cape

Firemen's Contests

Chief John A. Young plans to go to Cape Girardeau Thursday with several members of the fire department, who will participate in various contests to be held as part of the Cape's observation of national fire prevention week from October 6 to 12. Competitors will be firemen of Southeast Missouri towns.

M. U. TO SOON LET BIDS FOR TWO NEW BUILDINGS

The University of Missouri this week advertised for bids for the erection of the new Engineering Annex building and the erection of the west wing of the University Library building. According to the advertisement, bids will be opened and the contracts awarded on October 14. These bids are the first of the bids for the erection of the six new buildings which will be erected on the University campus during the present school year.

Bids for the other buildings, which will include an Education building, a Student Health Center

building, a new wing on Jay H. Neff Hall, the journalism building, and a new wild life unit for the zoology building, will be advertised for at a later date.

TANNER FARMER AGAIN ARRESTED FOR STEALING

Bill Johnson, a young farmer of the Tanner community, was sent to the Benton jail to await a preliminary hearing on a theft charge after his arrest Wednesday night by Deputy Sheriff Ira Shuffitt.

Johnson was stopped when Shuffitt noticed he was wearing a coat belonging to Deputy Constable W. M. Masterson. The coat, it is charged, was stolen Wednesday from Judge Joseph W. Myer's office while no one was in the room.

Johnson, it will be remembered, was arrested at the airport July 4 for disturbing the peace and again later in the summer for stealing flour from the H. & H. grocery.

All justice court cases called Thursday were continued a week, including that against Bynum Kellett on a charge of assaulting Marie Clark with a knife September 20, and that against Robert Joyner, who is accused of colliding with W. B. Barbarick's car on Front Street September 24

while he was drunk. Kellett has been free on a \$50 bond signed by himself and Ernest Kellett, and Joyner on a \$100 bond signed by himself. Barbarick is a Poplar Bluff contractor.

You'd Be Surprised

The annual loss from fire, directly or indirectly is estimated by the National Fire Protection Association to be about 10,000 lives, and according to the Fire Waste Council of the United States Chamber of Commerce about 70 per cent of this loss was in dwellings.

The structural standards of the Federal Housing Administration which apply where home mortgages are to be insured provide a double check on all structural features which might cause fire. The first check up is by the architect designing the structure, second by the Federal Housing architectural staff before the mortgage is accepted for insurance.

Ventilators

Cross ventilation should be provided for the space enclosed by foundation walls, whether it is excavated or not.

If no provision is made for air circulation within the enclosed space next to the ground, dampness accumulates and excess

moisture can seriously damage structural members. Openings for the admission of air help to prevent these difficulties and increase the life of the structure.

The total area of such openings should not be less than 7 per cent of the ground area enclosed. These openings should be screened tightly so that rats or mice will not find easy access into the space.

White Light Shafts

If airways and light shafts are painted white, the adjacent rooms will be brightened.

Owners of large office buildings are realizing that illumination can be increased by increased reflection.

Scientists have established the fact that unpainted red brick has a coefficient of light reflection of only 15 or 20 per cent, while the same brick painted white has a reflective coefficient 80 per cent.

Green and blue wing teal are beginning to come in from the north. The duck season in Missouri this year opens October 21 and continues for thirty days. In addition to a state hunting license each duck hunter must have in his possession a federal duck stamp, signed in ink across its face by the holder.

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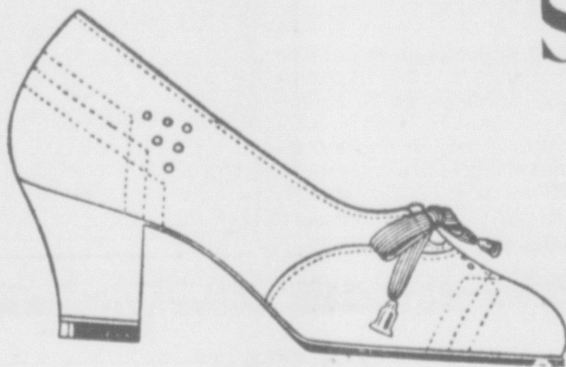
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Dry salt side meat, lb.	25c	Chile Brick	20c
Boiling beef lb.	10c	Shortening, 4 lb. carton	59c
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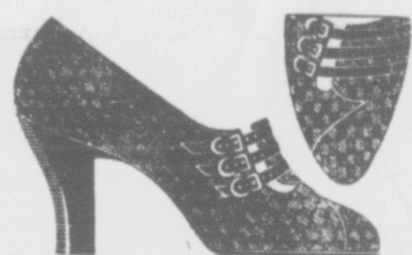
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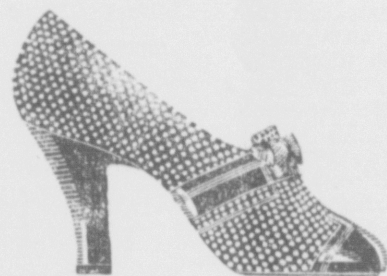
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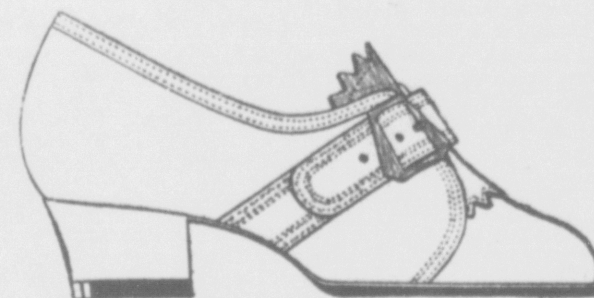
A seven-eyelet Tie for festive wear, fashioned of Brown and Black Suede and Kid
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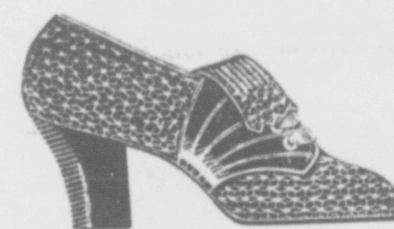
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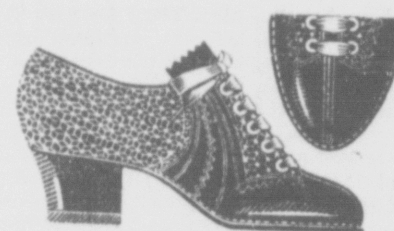
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SYNOPSIS: Malibu, a deer and Gato, a mountain lion, have been raised by Tom Martin, co-owning in the Sierra with her father, who had written a book about the interesting experiment. But, when Bob Alden, a forest ranger, who is in love with Tom, had discovered Gato's hen-coop raiding activities, Tom had been forced to turn the animals loose. Two years later, she returns and again finds Malibu and Gato. The three become involved in many exciting adventures, especially with Bergman, a rascally guide, who is their arch enemy. He has just stolen a herd of deer from Government property, and when Malibu tries to stampede them out of their prison corral, Bergman goes after him. There is a shot and Malibu falls.

THE GREAT BUCK LAUGHS

Chapter Eleven

Instantly, however, Malibu had picked himself up and dashed away, his ruse having worked successfully, for Bergman had relaxed his watch.

Now, the guide, with a muttered curse, brought his horse to a stop, then waited grimly, his gun ready. Malibu weaved crazily in and out the boulders then again fed past Bergman. Spying him, the guide quickly rode off in pursuit.

Malibu now left the shelter of the boulder and skipped through a shallow stream to the other side. And Bergman spurred his horse on with renewed zest, as he rode through the stream, seemingly hot on the deer's trail.

The buck moved cautiously around a large rock as Bergman

Collected his dazed senses, he watched his riderless horse disappearing rapidly into the distance. But his determination to go after Malibu had not abated a whit. He started through the woods, stopping hopefully every now and then at some slight noise.

Then, projecting out of a bush he saw Malibu's head. He tried to settle his jumpy nerves, so that his rifle arm would serve him well. Aiming the gun carefully, he fired, sure this time, that he had scored a bulls-eye.

When suddenly he stopped. Then he turned his head and licked a bloody spot on his flank where Bergman's last bullet had grazed him.

His pursuer was now on the right bank of the stream, moving forward on the log. From there he jumped to another log and turned up the left bank.

Now Gato appeared on the right bank. Then he too, crossed the stream on the log.

Malibu had made his way to the top of a sandy bluff—a dangerous, steep incline, which he started to descend. Skillfully leaping down the slanting slope, he reached the bottom just as Bergman came to the top and moved to the edge to descend.

But after a few steps the guide lost his footing and started to slide, rolling over and over to the bottom. As he stood up, shaken and much the worse for wear, Gato began picking his way down the slope after him.

Over the rocky ground Bergman walked, with Gato always just a little in the rear, silently stalking



The raised gun was his own private signal to come forth in defense of Malibu.

him riding through the brush, scrutinizing every tree and shrub instantly. Beads of moisture were visible on his face, as he gritted his teeth in overwhelming rage at his four-footed foe.

Malibu now entered a cave and Bergman, under the delusive notion that he saw him, rode off full speed.

Concealed in the cave, Malibu watched him ride past the entrance. It was then he laughed! Spreading his mouth, a malicious grin covered his whole face as he realized how he had tricked his enemy.

But Bergman was not so easily shaken off. He stopped again, and, though seething with inward fury, waited coolly.

Now Malibu poked his head warily out of the entrance of the cave. Bergman looked and one glance sufficed. He shot after him furiously, his murderous intent blinding him to the form of Gato, who was lying nearby on a rocky mountain ledge, watching the chase with somber, heavy-lidded eyes.

Never taking his eyes from the pursuer and pursued he rose to his feet and hurried off.

Bergman now rode in again and disappeared behind a rock.

Gato, on another rock nearby, stopped for a moment to observe the situation, then padded off again.

In full flight now, Malibu flew on down a steep slope and on to a log that projected out into the stream. Then with a desperate look around, he jumped from the log and swam across.

Bergman, on a high knoll, looked down just at this moment. Then, his lips curled back tight in a horrible grin, he brought his gun to his shoulder.

There was the crack of the rifle and the water splashed as two or three slugs hit close to Malibu. Filled with wild fury that he had missed, Bergman now rode his horse toward the stream, only to be thwarted again, for Malibu had reached the opposite bank and was racing off into the thicket.

Bergman rode away at full speed, planning to cut the deer off on the other side. Filled as he was with a consuming determination to finish the deer off, he had not noticed the spent condition of his horse.

Suddenly, it stumbled, throwing him to the ground. He tumbled over and bumped up against a tree, deep center, helplessly.

ANNOUNCES COTTON PRICES

The AAA Gives Daily Schedule of Base Averages

A report received this week at the county agent's office makes public the daily average of the prices per pound of middling 7-8 inch spot cotton at the ten designated spot markets for the period from June 1 to Sept. 10, inclusive. The daily average price was determined by daily quotations from the ten designated spot markets to the Bureau of Agriculture Economics, Department of Agriculture.

Producers of cotton who agree to comply with the 1936 cotton acreage adjustment program and who have sold cotton from the 1935 crop will be paid under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration's price adjustment plan the difference between the average at the ten designated spot markets on the day of sale and 12 cents per pound.

For example, a producer who sold his cotton on September 4 would be due a price adjustment payment of 1.55 cents per pound up to the amount of the actual cotton sold but NOT beyond his Bankhead allotment.

On the other hand, any producer who sold cotton from his 1935 crop on any of the days when middling 7-8 inch spot cotton averaged 12 cents a pound or more at the designated markets would NOT be due an adjustment payment.

In the case of growers who have NOT signed or complied with the 1935 cotton acreage adjustment program, payment on the difference between a daily average price and 12 cents will NOT be made until he has complied with the 1936 cotton adjustment program.

The ten designated spot markets are Augusta, Dallas, Galveston, Houston, Little Rock, Memphis, Montgomery, New Orleans, Norfolk and Savannah.

110 POUNDS EXEMPT

Information for cotton producers in this county was received recently by County Agent Broom, stating that 110 pounds of lint cotton produced by or for any producer may be retained by him for domestic use in his household without payment of the ginning tax which otherwise would be levied. This 110 pounds of cotton, to be used only in the producer's household, is in addition to the tax-exempt allotment of cotton under the Bankhead Act. The exemption is effective on the 1935 crop.

Producers who desire to avail themselves of this exemption should hold back from the gin enough seed cotton to produce the lint which they desire to use in their household and secure from the County Agent of the county in which they reside, application form for exemption before taking such seed cotton to the gin. These forms will probably not be available before October 1. Three lbs. of seed cotton usually will gin one pound of lint.

TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS, HUNTER LAND & DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, a corporation, by its deed of trust dated July 1st, 1925, filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri and recorded in Book No. 48 at Pages Nos. 459 and 460, conveyed to COMMERCE TRUST COMPANY of Kansas City, Missouri, Trustee, for the purpose of securing the indebtedness therein described the following described property situated in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

West Half of Southwest Quarter (W½ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-Six (26); East Half of Southeast Quarter (E½ of SE¼) of Section Twenty-Seven (27); Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), and Northwest Quarter of Northwest Quarter (NW¼ of NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range Thirteen (13) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, excepting therefrom railroad right of way leaving a net acreage of 233 acres.

WHEREAS, the owner and holder of said indebtedness appointed said undersigned as substitute trustee, which appointment of substitute trustee was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said indebtedness has requested me to sell the said real estate according to the terms of said deed of trust.

NOW THEREFORE, at the request of the holder and owner of said indebtedness, I, E. C. PIERCE, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that by virtue of the power and authority given to me by said deed of trust, and the aforesaid appointment of substitute trustee, I shall proceed to sell the real estate hereinabove and in said deed of trust described, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Scott County Court House at Benton, Missouri, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1935 between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 5 o'clock P. M., on that day beginning at or about the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of satisfying and paying the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the cost of executing this trust.

WITNESS my signature this 25th day of September, 1935.

E. C. PIERCE, Substitute Trustee.

Caruthersville Fair Starts Oct. 9

The second annual American Legion Tri-County Fair will begin at Caruthersville, Wednesday, October 9 and continue through October 13, running for five days.

With the premium list offering \$1,500 this year, an unusually large number of agricultural, poultry, vegetable and other exhibits are being entered, according to Floyd Barnhart, vocational agriculture instructor in the high school, who is in charge of exhibits.

At a meeting last Friday night, the Fair Board decided to reduce the exhibitors' pass ticket from \$5.00 to \$1.00. Each person entering \$1.00 in exhibits will be given a free pass to the grounds for the first four days of the Fair.

The fair this year will have several added features over last year. A large number of free acts have been contracted for to be held both day and night before the grandstand. These include juggling, wire walking, aerialists and other acrobatic acts.

Miss Marguerita Ferguson will present a troupe of 35 Caruthersville kiddies in a Kiddies' Revue three evenings of the fair. The Kiddies, all talented youngsters, will present a routine of dancing, singing and specialty acts. Jack Hutchinson, son of former prosecuting attorney Ralph Hutchin on and Mrs. Hutchinson, will be master of ceremonies for the Revue.

Each afternoon, except the opening day of the fair, there will be both running and harness races. George Gray, superintendent of the speedway has placed the track in excellent condition, and predicts some unusually fast times in the various events.

There are eight races carded for Thursday and Friday, six harness races and two running races. Purse of \$150 and \$80 are offered in each of the races, respectively. Saturday, the American Legion Derby purse offers \$250, over a mile and 70 yards running race. Sunday will be the feature day of the racing meet, offering six running races, with the major purse being \$200.00 in the Tri-County Derby.

Music will be provided each afternoon and evening by the Caruthersville Band, under the direction of Prof. R. L. Morris. Other county bands will take part in the fair, but the Fair Board decided to employ no out of county bands. The Caruthersville Band will number 35 or 40 pieces, according to Prof. Morris, and has won meritorious honors at various amusement enterprises over the mid-south, being recognized as one of the outstanding music units taking part in the Cotton Carnival at Memphis this year.

Wednesday, the opening day of the fair, has been given over to judging the exhibits entered. Prizes and ribbons will be awarded this day. Prizes are \$1.25 for first, 75 cents second, and 50 cents third. All exhibits will be on display until Saturday night.

A "Miss Southeast Missouri" Beauty Contest will be held during Fair Week, with the beauty queens of various towns to parade before the grandstand each day. Judges will make the final selection, crowning "Miss Southeast Missouri" on Saturday.

Admissions for the fair at 15c and 25c at the gate, 15c for reserved box seats, and grandstand seats are free, both day and night. Officials have arranged parking space for about five thousand automobiles.

Other than Gray, who is general manager and superintendent of the speed ring, other officials of the Fair Board are:

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Departmental superintendents—Mrs. J. C. Hudspeth, poultry; T. A. Haggard, agriculture; Tommie J. Greenwell, horticulture; Mrs. W. A. Poplin, floriculture; Mrs. H. V. Litzelfelner, Fine Arts; Mrs. Helen Dillman Baker, domestic arts; Mrs. Letitia Simpson, dairy, culinary and dairy; Harriet S. Jones, education.

FILES AMENDED PETITION IN CITY'S QUO WARRANTO ACTION AGAINST UTILITIES

An amended petition in the city's quo warranto suit against the Missouri Utilities Company was filed in the circuit court Tuesday by Roger A. Bailey.

Mr. Bailey named as co-defendants, the Community Power & Light Company of Delaware and the Boatmen's National Bank in St. Louis.

The power concern, holder of the utilities' first mortgage bonds of \$2,185,000, was named because on August 5 its attorneys filed in the Cape Girardeau federal court a motion for a restraining order to halt the city's earlier quo warranto suit, brought to court on July 12, and set for hearing during the August term. The bank is included as corporate trustee.

In the amended petition, Mr. Bailey alleges that the utilities lacks a right to operate here because it has no franchise other than a grant of December 16, 1902, which has long since expired. He was granted until Tuesday to file a petition after Judge Frank Kelly heard arguments last month on the utilities' demurrer action, taken in an effort to stop the earlier quo warranto suit.

STATEMENT EXPLAINS ADJUSTMENT DETAILS

For the purpose of determining the payments that cotton growers will receive under the 1935 cotton price adjustment payment plan, the "date of sale" means the day on which the price to be paid the producer for his cotton is mutually agreed upon by producer and purchaser. This information, intended for the cotton contract signers in New Madrid county, was contained in an official statement received from cotton adjustment headquarters this week by County Agent Leslie B. Broom.

The Adjustment payment plan is designed, insofar as is possible to bring an average of a 12 cent return to producers on the 1935 cotton crop by payments to producers based on the difference between that figure and the daily average price paid for middling 7-8 inch cotton at the ten designated spot markets on the day of sale.

In the event cotton, on which a 10-cent loan is obtained under the 1935 loan plan, is NOT sold by July 31, 1936 and is still under the loan on that date, an adjustment payment will be made to the producer cooperating in the

1936 cotton program in the amount per pound by which the official average base price at the ten designated markets is below 12 cents per pound on July 31. However, carrying charges, which include interest, storage, and insurance, will be deducted from the payment and paid to the lending agency.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration today reiterated that cotton producers should bargain with buyers for the premium due them on cotton which is above the average in grade and staple length.

Producers will lose money due them, officials stated, if they sell premium cotton for the price paid for middling 7-8 inch cotton. The belief the price adjustment payments will compensate them for their better grade and staple length.

AAA CUSTOMS RECEIPTS To Be Used to Finance Cotton Adjustment Payments

Payments to cotton producers are to be made from a new source recently authorized by a Congressional amendment to the Agricultural Adjustment Act, according to a statement received by county Agent Leslie B. Broom from cotton Section state headquarters.

Thirty per cent of the customs receipt for each fiscal year are segregated by this section and maintained in a separate fund which may be used to encourage the exportation and marketing of agricultural commodities.

The cotton price adjustment plan is intended, insofar as is possible to insure producers of the 1935 cotton crop a return of 12¢ per pound basis 7-8 inch middling, on their cotton production in 1935 within the limits of their Bankhead allotments.

Toward this end, the plan proposes the payment to individual producers of the difference between 12 cents per pound and the average price of 7-8 inch middling cotton at the 10 designated spot markets on the date of sale. Payments will be made on actual production up to the amount of each producer's Bankhead allotment but in NO case will the payments exceed 2¢ per pound.

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N. B. MORRIS DIES AFTER ELEVEN WEEKS' ILLNESS

Funeral services for Norman B. Morris, who died Monday evening of chronic myocarditis, were conducted by the Rev. Verne F. Oglesby at the Baptist church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in the city cemetery.

Mr. Morris was 77 years old at the time of his death. He was

born in Boonville, Ind., but had lived here many years. He had been ill eleven weeks.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Fannie Morris, he is survived by two sons, Lenthia Morris of Miami, Fla., and C. T. Morris of Kansas City; a daughter, Mrs. Reva Hayes of Flint, Mich.; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Dempster service.

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N. Y. P. S., 6:30 o'clock.
Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.
Salvation sermon.
Midweek prayer service, Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock.
C. F. Transue, pastor.

The date for the church's fall revival has been set, the Rev. C. F. Transue said Wednesday. The meeting will begin November 15 and extend for two weeks. The Rev. E. C. Dees of Paris, Tenn., who organized the Sikeston church ten years ago, will preach. His daughter, Miss Ruby Lee Dees, president of the Tennessee district young people's association, will be song leader. Three hundred dollars has been added to the church building fund since the last report was made recently, Mr. Transue said. Twenty-eight hundred dollars has now been paid toward remodeling the church, and with the addition of \$100 to be contributed next week the church debt will be reduced to \$275. Remodeling has now cost \$3100. An additional \$500 will be needed to complete the work, Mr. Transue said.

The revival members of the young people's organization here have sponsored at Essex will close Sunday at the end of the third week. The Rev. J. D. Haveron of Flat River has been preaching.

IRA CHANEY TO HEAD

WILLING HELPERS CLASS
Ira Chaney was elected president of the Willing Helpers class of the Church of the Nazarene at a regular business meeting Monday night.

Other officers chosen are Derrick Warner, vice-president; Roy Grey, secretary; Herman Poe, assistant secretary; Thomas Galloway, treasurer; and Lester Comer, assistant treasurer.

These members were named to committees: Executive, Bill Thompson, chairman, Mickey Murrel and Thomas Meredith, membership, Harold Ray, chairman, Henry Comer, and Estel Demarris; social, Dan Duvall, chairman, Willis Holmes, and Robert Couch; devotional, Charles Chaney, chairman, Ralph Williams and Alva Halden; missionary, Luther Campbell, chairman, Charles Chaney, and Clyde Nichols. Chris Porter was recently appointed teacher of the class by the Sunday school board.

Class members meet at 9:30 every Sunday morning. Young men who are not now attending any Sunday school are invited to be present.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid, of the First Christian church will meet on next Thursday afternoon, October 10 at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cox, Sr. The time will be spent in quilting.

FIDELIS CLASS

The Fidelis class, First Baptist church, will meet on Monday night, October 7, with Miss Mildred Carter, 506 West Gladys street. Mrs. C. C. Allen, assistant hostess.

ARBUTUS CLASS

The Arbutus Class of the First Baptist church, will hold its monthly meeting on Monday night, October 7, at the home of Mrs. Jewel Gentle. Mrs. Robert McCarty, assistant hostess.

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Thur., 8 p. m.
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Society of the Methodist church, will meet next Tuesday night, October 8, at the home of Mrs. Leonard McMullin. Mrs. George Kirk, assistant hostess.

TO CANVASS HOMES FOR

C. E. CONVENTION FUNDS
Young people's organization leaders will conduct a house-to-house canvass Saturday for funds to finance the state Christian Endeavor convention here November 7, 8, 9, and 10, Kemper Bruton, general chairman, announced Wednesday. A decision to stage the drive was made at a convention directors' meeting Tuesday night.

Throughout Saturday, teams of workers will visit residents and business men soliciting \$1 registration to the convention in order that the \$500 pledged by Sikeston may be raised.

In the meantime, Miss Vernetta Smith, chairman of the housing committee, is active organizing a group who will ask householders to provide rooms and breakfasts for convention delegates. Her committee members include Mrs. C. M. Harris, Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. J. N. Ross, Mrs. C. E. Felker, Mrs. O. E. Latham, Mrs. Margaret Harper. Persons willing to donate rooms are asked to call either these women or Miss Smith.

A large sign advertising the convention has been placed on the lawn of the Methodist church, which is being equipped with flood lights this week.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 o'clock.
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Problem of Ethiopia and Its Challenge to Christianity."

Epworth League—6:30 o'clock.
Evening worship—7:30 o'clock.
"God's Orders to the Christian Church."

Special music will be given by the young people's choir under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Newsum.

E. H. Orear, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kind words during our bereavement in the death of our beloved husband and brother. Especially to Rev. Oglesby for his words of comfort and to the ladies who sang, and for the beautiful floral offerings. We also wish to thank the National Guard and the American Legion for their services.

Mrs. Thomas Clark and family.

CLARKTON PASTOR TO

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
The Rev. C. V. Farrell of Clarkton, who is preaching this week at a revival being held in the Presbyterian church at Charleston, will preach here at the morning services of the Presbyterian church Sunday. Services will begin at 9 o'clock.

Rally day will be observed at the Sunday school at 10 o'clock. The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at 6:30 Sunday evening and midweek prayer services at 7:30 Wednesday night. No evening services will be held Sunday.

PERSONAL

H. M. Holmes went to St. Louis Wednesday, where yesterday he attended a business meeting of

the Phillips Petroleum Company, held in the Ivory room of the Jefferson Hotel. Mr. Holmes is a district manager, and will look after business interests at Cairo, Ill., and Paducah, Ky., before returning to Sikeston.

Second of a series of six Bridge-Pinochle parties to be at Hotel Marshall October 3, sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

Mrs. Mary Hamlin of Sikeston was admitted to St. Francis hospital Sunday for medical treatment.—Cape Missourian.

Mrs. J. C. Seigelman of Eldorado, Ill., formerly Miss Margaret Murphy of Sikeston; Mrs. Mary Hall and her daughter, Miss Carrie Hall, also of Eldorado; and George Glasgow, Mrs. Vivian Crowson, Mrs. Belle Jewell, and Mr. Harper, all of Rector, Ark., came here this week to attend the funeral of R. K. Bone, who died Sunday night. Mr. Glasgow, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Bone, and other Rector residents left Tuesday evening. Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Bone's sister-in-law, and her companions left Wednesday.

Orville Calhoun and Miss Dorothy Mills shopped in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holmes of Yazoo City, Miss., stopped here on their way to St. Louis Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore Greer. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes stopped again Wednesday at the Greer residence and then went to Charleston for luncheon while they were en route home.

Mrs. Roger Bailey will be hostess to the Friday bridge club this afternoon.

The Beta Sigma Phi met on Monday night with Miss Ruth Ward Powell. The members decided to sell candy this Saturday, and anyone wishing to buy some, please call Mrs. Garwood Sharp.

Miss Rebecca Pierce returned from St. Louis, Monday, where she had been to attend a field force conference of the Woman's Benefit Association, held last Friday and Saturday. While in the city, Miss Pierce also visited relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Conatser and sons went to Parma, Wednesday, to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boaz.

Mrs. L. T. Davey and daughter, Miss Ellen, went to St. Louis, Wednesday night, for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Danneker of St. Louis came Wednesday evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Sharp. Mrs. Danneker will be remembered here before her marriage as Miss Wilma Knier. After visiting here, Mr. and Mrs. Danneker will go to California to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trousdale attended the ball game in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Sheldon entertained with a bridge supper Monday evening at their home on North Kingshighway. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Kingsland, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Crowell, Miss Jane Priester, and Kemper Bruton.

SCOTT COUNTY PROJECTS

ARE APPROVED BY WPA
Projects to improve the Benton school building at a federal cost of \$1600; to renovate the Chaffee high school, \$9864; to construct a sidewalk in front of the Illinois city hall, \$7617; and to improve 1.5 miles of the Oran-Perkins road, \$2971, are included in a list of proposed WPA projects which have been approved in Washington.

Others in the ninth area are: Dunklin county: Improve roads,

\$16,270; improve roads (separate projects) \$13,287. Cotton Hill Township: Improve roads, \$40,015. Senath — Repair Bucado public school building, \$917.

Mississippi County: Improve roads in Airline Special Road District, \$11,604. Anniston — Improve public school building, \$1360. Bertrand — Construct school building, \$18,887. Charleston — Construct school building, and improve grounds, \$1716; construct community hall, \$23,141; construct community center, \$4,864. East Prairie — Construct nine-classroom school, \$22,026. Pemiscot county — Caruthersville — Improve school on Ward avenue, \$3074. Hayti — School construction program \$8306. Holland — Improve city streets \$7197. Steele — Construct gymnasium, \$24,234.

New Madrid county: Gideon — Improve streets, \$509; improve community center, \$2189; sanitation program, \$9920; Matthews — Repairs at public school building, \$7382. Morehouse — Renovate public school building, \$12,757; New Madrid — Construct sidewalks, \$20,657.

Stoddard county: Construct community center in school district No. 76, \$246. Bernie — Improve school buildings, \$2988. Bloomfield — Repairs at courthouse, \$9198. Dudley — Improve school building, \$1652. Lavall — Construct school building, \$862. Puxico — Construct school auditorium-gymnasium, \$18,211.

Cape Girardeau county — improvement of city streets, \$24,290, improvement of Sunset boulevard, \$25,491, renovation of Fairground park, \$24,438, improvement of 2.4 miles of North Sprigg street road, \$3605, and improvement of Missouri park, \$15,108, all in Cape Girardeau; improvement of Gordonville streets, \$1806; renovation of Jackson courthouse, \$431.

The National Coal Association estimates bituminous coal production for the week ended September 14, at 8,300,000 net tons, against 7,026,000 tons for the like period last year. Output during the week ended September 7 was 6,890,000, according to the Bureau of Mines.

Daily averages gross crude oil production in the United States increased 24,650 barrels in the week ended September 21, totaling 2,774,500 barrels, the American Petroleum Institute's weekly summary indicates. Daily average production east of California increased 17,050 barrels to 2,130,000 barrels.

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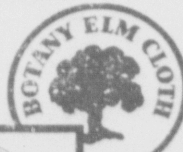
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James Hart left Monday for Memphis where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgie Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Paducah, Ky., were guests of Mrs. Hopie Sullivan, here Sunday.

Bill Bryant, Bernice Frank, Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Sullivan, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and family, at Landers Ridge.

The W. C. T. U. meeting held at the Nazarene church, here, Sunday, proved a success. The program was well rendered and a good attendance was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wallace, who have been residing at Vanduser, Mo., the past few months, moved back to this city, Saturday.

Jim Reeves visited friends in Poplar Bluff, Sunday.

A Fellowship meeting will be held here at the Pentecostal church, Sunday, October 6, with all day services.

Homer Decker of Sikeston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bumpus, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Todd made a tour of Missouri, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Cleb Reynolds, and Misses Nellie and Thelma Reynolds motored to Piggott, Ark., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parris who have been working with the Highway Construction Co., for several months, left Monday for Mayfield, Ky.

The Bridge Club was entertained last week by Mrs. L. E. Estes of Essex. Mrs. Willard Bagwell received high score and Mrs. W. T. Wofford second-high. The club will meet this week with Mrs. Virgil Owings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smithpeter and family of Matthews and Mrs. McGee Case Continued

and Mrs. Horace Smith, Wilma Ray, Nurine Lawn, Audie Lawn, Edward Lawn, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Newton of Matthews were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Carrington, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Todd, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bumpus, and Elizabeth Hart, made a business trip to Cape Girardeau last Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Lacy of Sikeston was the guest of her brother, Mr. O. D. Edwards and family, Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Wallace, the primary teacher for this year, turned in her resignation Monday. Mrs. Lewis Meyers is substituting until another teacher is hired.

A play entitled "Miss Blue Bonnet" sponsored by Lois Huber will be given at the gymnasium, Saturday evening, October 5. The cast is made up of home talent.

Mrs. Jack D. Edwards of Poplar Bluff, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards, Friday.

MRS. MARY E. JENKINS
Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. Mary Jenkins, who died at her home, Saturday morning at 2:30 o'clock of asthma of the heart.

Rev. M. A. Massey, pastor of the Methodist church at Steele, was in charge of the last rites.

Interment was made in the Sikeston cemetery. Dempster service.

Mrs. Jenkins was born in Johnson County, Ill., in 1876. She is survived by four brothers, namely, W. W. Baker of Villier Ridge, Ill., J. F. Baker of Mounds, Ill., Lee Baker of Mounds, Ill., and Fred Baker of Kewanee, Mo., one sister, Mrs. Martha E. Quilmack of Flint, Michigan, and her husband, A. J. Jenkins.

Mrs. Jenkins has spent most of her life in Morehouse and had many friends among the people of the community.

By agreement, a trial for

Claude McGee of Cape Girardeau on a charge of killing W. T. Carlton at Gray's Point on May 8 was continued until the November term of the Scott county circuit court when it was called on Tuesday. The trial has been tentatively set for November 11.

490 Bales of Cotton Ginned

Four hundred and ninety bales of cotton have been ginned at Sikeston's three gins since the season opened recently. It was learned this week. The Planters' Cotton Company has turned out 115 bales; the Sikeston Gin Company has turned out 205; and the E. P. Coleman, 170. Ginning will be heavier soon.

Birth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook of Bertrand announce the birth September 27 of a baby daughter, who has been named Carmen Faye.

BACK-TO-FARM MOVEMENT GAINING IN MISSOURI

John F. Nicholson, state director of the rural resettlement administration, is authority for the statement that the "back to the farm" movement is gaining momentum in Missouri.

In a recent report Director Nicholson disclosed that the number of farmers in Missouri had increased 8.8 per cent during the last five years, as contrasted to a decrease of 10.2 per cent for a period from 1900 to 1930.

The resettlement administration has estimated that there are now 278,454 farm operators in Missouri, and that the average gross income of 14 per cent of them is less than \$400 annually.

In his survey Director Nicholson points out that "The number of people on farms is increasing and it is interesting to note that only half as many farm people are now going to the city in search of employment. At the depth of the depression, 1931-32, the tide of migration turned toward the farm."

The rural resettlement administration was designated to all farmers by lending them money for purchasing farm equipment, material, livestock, refinancing mortgages, rent on land, repair of buildings, labor or professional service and subsistence goods.

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Appeals must be made in writing on the standard appeal form furnished by the Division of cotton. This form may be obtained by calling at the county extension office.

The burden of proof respecting an increase in the allotment rests with the producer.

The state adjustment board, to which all such appeals are referred, has definitely ruled that no appeal will receive consideration after October 10.

Anderson's Car Damaged

A Dodge car driven by O. F. Anderson of Benton, superintendent of Scott county schools, was slightly damaged Saturday when it collided with another in Cape Girardeau. The accident happened as Anderson was driving north on Ellis street. It was necessary to repair the radiator, headlight and a fender of the Dodge.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS TO SPONSOR PIE SUPPER

Plans for fall activity were made at the first autumn meeting of the Young Democratic club of Richland township, held in the City Hall Monday night. About thirty attended.

Within a week, members expect to begin holding a series of pie suppers at rural voting precincts in Richland township.

These men, appointed to committees by Hubert Boyer, the club president, will assist officers in strengthening the organization: Membership, Loomis Mayfield, chairman, Lacy Lewis, Vernon Kelly, Erwin Cox, and Clyde Causey; entertainment, Bill Baker, chairman, Ned Tanner, Wade Malcolm, Frank Miller, and Kendall Sikes; finance, Arba Senenbaugh, chairman, Charles French, Paul Rankin, A. C. Bar-

rett, and Ed Fuchs, Jr.; special, David Blanton, chairman, Elmos Taylor, and Leonard McMullin. Les Sexton is vice-president of the club; John Powell, secretary; and Harold Ancell, treasurer.

POSTOFFICE NOW OPEN SIX DAYS EACH WEEK

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Mrs. Britt McGee and little daughter spent Thursday in New Madrid with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deane, Jr., motored to Essex Sunday to take their little son, Wm., 3rd, to Dr. J. P. Brandon for treatment.

Mrs. Lex Smith and Mrs. Amos Davis accompanied Mrs. Harrison Tanner, Mrs. Johnny Calvin and Miss Maud Adams of Sikeston to New Madrid Friday, where they enjoyed a bountiful dinner at the home of Mrs. Fred Dunn.

The occasion was Mrs. Dunn's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh May spent the week-end in Fruitland and Morley, with relatives.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson spent Friday near Canolou with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and son Charles spent Sunday near Bloomfield with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayo.

Mrs. Lem Hulsey visited her daughter, Miss Dorothy, in Sikeston, Thursday.

B. B. Conrad spent the week-end at his home in Marble Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Higgs are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born Saturday, September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Overton of Blytheville, Ark., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mills.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith Saturday and left an eight pound baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. George Andres went to St. Louis Friday, where Mr. Andres went to consult an eye specialist.

Mrs. W. V. Moore returned to her home in Casper, Wyoming after several weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King.

H. M. Gosnell of Lilbourn had business in Matthews, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Randolph and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

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NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

H. B. Masterson, State High School Supervisor, visited and inspected the Canolou High School last Friday. Neil C. Aslin, formerly of Bloomfield, is the superintendent and the high school teachers are Edwin W. Koerber of Cape Girardeau, Dorothy Curry of DeSoto, and Lenore Nickerson of New Hampton. They are operating on the 6-6 plan with the 7th and 8th grades and four years of regular high school work handled by the above teachers. A bus brings in all the 7th and 8th grade pupils from the rural schools thus making the Junior-Senior High School handle the entire upper six grades of the district. The bus is owned and operated by Aymon Newman. The school board members are President X. Caverno, W. O. Burnett, Z. C. Butler, Harley E. Barnes, W. M. Moore, James H. Coppage and Jas. D. Kocheil is Secretary. It is rather difficult for Superintendent Neil C. Aslin of Canolou to keep his mind on his professional business lately. The mental wanderings, absent-mindedness, and hesitating dignified step are prompted by the report of the birth of a bouncing baby lassie to his wife last Saturday.

A September bulletin from J. W. Studebaker, United States Commissioner of Education, tells us of the Robinson-Terry Act passed by the last Congress which authorized the RFC to loan up to \$100,000,000 for the refinancing of school indebtedness at 4 per cent interest. We have taken the matter up with the RFC with reference to District No. 20 which owes \$7,000 and is paying the high rate of 6 per cent interest. The interest is \$420 per year and they can hardly keep that paid to say nothing of paying the principal. The bondholders would probably sell at 40 cents on the dollar and then the government could take over the reduced loan of \$2800 at 4 per cent interest. The district would then be in a position to liquidate the debt in about 13 years. This adjustment would be similar to that of the Little River Drainage District. The Mr. Studebaker mentioned above is the same man who is co-author of the Standard Service Arithmetics which are used in this county.

A. F. Elsea, State Director of Education, has sent letters to all county superintendents informing them that it is illegal to admit five-year old children to our rural schools. He also states that they are too immature to do regular school work. We have a custom in many of our schools of admitting pupils who will be six by December 31, but pupils younger are out of place in school unless a kindergarten is provided and under no circumstances should a pupil be promoted from kindergarten to the second grade. Parma teachers were first in the county to enroll 100 per cent in the State Teachers' Association, and with the enrollment of Robert Cecil Hines last week, Risco comes in as second in the race for 100 per cent.

Gideon teachers enrolled are: Supt. L. B. Hoy, James F. Miller, Nettie Jackson, Mary E. Parker, Stella Gaebler, Duane Axtell, Jean Walker, Florence Westmeyer, Eldridge P. Crow, Marie Cunningham, A. R. Pierce, Dewey Swincel, Kathryn Schmuck, Mary Mumma, Marjorie Anderson, Alice Rhodes, Juanita Kink, Mary Lee, Pauline Milburn, Willard Johnson, Ona Weston, Paul Dixon, Rose Marie Walker, Orville Kinder, John Dickey. Gideon now lacks only four teachers of being 100 per cent.

Libbourn has enrolled the following teachers: Supt. J. H. O'Connor, Owen J. Taul, H. E. Buckminster, Mayme Hamlett, Lindell Bagley, Marguerite Miller, Ira M. Rubottom, Floyd Liley, Mildred LeSieur, Mrs. Raymond Lloyd, Julia Stoker, Ruth Stearns, Frieda Sickery, Appalona Taul, Fannie Swilley, Ethel Bagley, Flora O'Connor. With the enrollment of four more teachers, Libbourn will show up 100 per cent.

Other enrollments not reported are: Pearlina Byers Barry, Kendall School; Hazel Bradford, Walnut Grove. Ciella R. Liles, Grape Ridge; Eula Cole Kimes, Conran, Agatha Weaks Parks, Walnut Grove; Irene Van Bibber, Phillips; Virginia E. Twitty, Tinsley; Estelle Smith, Horton, Farrenburg; Mildred Smith Stanley, St. Mary. We appreciate the fine response of the teachers and are proud of their loyalty to the profession.

Donald Joe Pepper, four-year-old son of Harvey Pepper who lives in the Wilburn School District,

East of Matthews, died last Thursday with the Diphtheria and now his twelve-year old son W. H. Pepper has the Diphtheria. In such cases, the pupils of the school should be immediately vaccinated against the disease. If they are not able to pay for the serum, the school district can do this and by so doing they will get the serum at wholesale price. Dr. O'Bannon, County Health Officer, will come out and immunize the group provided you can get 25 pupils who need it. And the cost will be only 25 cents each. The district can afford to pay it if the parents are not able.

TWO MEN RODE CRUISER IN FLORIDA HURRICANE

The following, an excerpt from the Plant City Courier of Plant City, Florida, regarding M. P. Clark, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur of this city, during the recent Florida hurricane:

"M. P. Clark and F. G. Von Leue of Plant City, Florida, know what it is to ride out a hurricane in an 18-foot cabin cruiser, and no mistake about that. They 'took it' last Tuesday afternoon and night and most of Wednesday just north of the Cortez-Bradenton Beach bridge in a way they won't soon forget in the cabin cruiser owned by Mr. Clark.

"Cruising in those waters after having shoved off from Tampa several days before and cruised down to Pass-a-Grille and then down to the beach section the local mariners were caught in the storm Tuesday morning and started to put in for some place of refuge. They were unable to locate a cover as the wind increased in force and finally tied up to a stake some distance north of the bridge. This was Tuesday about noon.

"From then on it was cabin cruiser against the gale which Mr. Clark estimated reached a velocity of 70 to 75 miles an hour at times. The little packet stuck her nose in the huge waves that ran several feet higher than the boat at times. Emerging from the wave the packet would dive into another and so on and so forth as the two local residents manned their ship to hold her nose in the wind and keep her from being swamped by the heavy seas rolling into her side.

"The boat didn't ship much water, but at times it was necessary to man the pump. About 3 o'clock in the morning Wednesday the storm appeared to be at its height at least for the little packet. The wind was from the south and got a long sweep up over water and really churned the seas.

"Despite the tense situation, during those long hours, both Mr. Clark and Mr. Von Leue were able to grab an occasional hour or two of sleep while the other stood watch.

"Mr. Clark declared he was sure he would have lost his craft if they had been able to tie her up and get to shore. A 30-foot

cabin cruiser went down at anchor a short distance from where the local mariners were and a 46-foot boat was washed ashore a few miles north.

"When the high seas subsided some Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Clark and Mr. Von Leue put in at a small cove near Anna Marie and hit the trail for home after breakfast a fast that had continued throughout their stay on the cruiser during the storm. Neither was any the worse for the experience, but still not particularly hankering to go through it again any time in the near future. Mr. Clark said it had been his greatest adventure, if it might be called that."

Mr. Clark will be remembered to Sikeston friends as the grandson of the late J. D. Peal of this city and cousin to Toby, John Louis and Sterling Watkins of Blodgett.

CO-WORKERS TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE OCT. 12

The Co-Workers of the local Methodist church will hold a rummage sale in the Matthews building on the corner of Malone and South Kingshighway, formerly occupied by Sensenbarger garage, on Saturday, October 12. The public invited.

Neighborhood Personal News From Big Opening

A host of friends and relatives surprised Mr. Ray Crawford Sunday with a birthday dinner this being his twenty seventh birthday. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Risner and children, Tony, Mildred and Geneva; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fears and children, John Fred, and Barbara Jean; Ernie Fears and baby, Jimmie; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Crawford and son James Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cantrell and Hazel Newton. All reported a nice time.

Mrs. Maloy Bell visited Mrs. Ferrell Bradford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Dewitt and daughter Zelpha, visited friends and relatives in Illinois, Sunday. Several from this community attended the rally day held at East Prairie Sunday. Many interesting programs were rendered.

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Little Donna Joe Peppers departed this life Friday September 27. Death being caused by Diphtheria. He was the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Horne Peppers. Besides his father and mother, he is survived by one brother, and five sisters. Interment was made in the Big Opening cemetery. Rev. J. E. Evans of East Prairie conducted the services. Shelby undertaker, of East Prairie in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Moore and daughter La Wanda Sue spent Monday at the Jodie Kem home. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott of Sikeston, Sunday.

BENTON SCHOOL AMONG PWA PROJECTS APPROVED

Sixty-eight Missouri PWA projects, providing allotments of \$6,419,779, have been approved by President Roosevelt, it was announced this week.

The allotments are still subject to approval of Comptroller General McCarl, who will determine whether they qualify under provisions of the \$4,880,000,000 works relief appropriation. Those for Southeast Missouri are:

Poplar Bluff, a grant of \$21,273 for the construction of a public library.

Benton, loan and grant of \$32,727 for building high school. Loan \$18,000, grant, \$14,727.

Parma, loan and grant of \$38,182 for construction of water-works system. Loan, \$21,00, grant, \$17,182.

Cape Girardeau, grant of \$59,404 for construction of sanitary sewer system.

Bragg City, loan and grant of \$25,455 for building new school. Loan, \$14,000, grant, \$11,445.

Holland, loan and grant of \$51,773 for construction of school building and school addition. Loan, \$26,000, grant, \$25,773.

ALLOTMENT APPEAL DEADLINE OCTOBER 10

Cotton Producers in Scott County who have justifiable claims for changes in their allotment of tax-exemption certificates must submit their written appeal by October 10 according to a statement issued by the Scott County Cotton Committee.

Appeals must be made in writing on the standard appeal form

furnished by the Division of Cotton. This form may be obtained by calling at the County Extension Office.

The burden of proof respecting an increase in the allotment rests with the producer.

The State Adjustment Board to which all such appeals are referred has definitely ruled that no appeal will receive consideration after October 10.

THINK HATCHET KILLER HAS SLAIN AT LEAST 40

Iasi, Rumania, Sept. 30—Police attributed today seven more killings to the giant Vasile Teaciu, whose alleged confession that he murdered 21 persons through a pretty girl decoy has led authorities to refer to him as "the most wanton killer of modern times."

Officials expressed the belief that many more persons than the 21 he confessed to killing were victims of his hatchet during the last five years. Persons familiar with this countryside, where many men have strangely disappeared in recent years, placed the number of probable victims at 40.

PREPARE FOR THREE-DAY DEER SEASON IN MISSOURI

Hundreds of Missouri sportsmen will spend three thrilling days in the deep woods of the Ozarks when the deer season opens, October 24 and continues until Saturday, October 28. In preparation for the movement of venison hunters Montie Glover, Chief Clerk of the Game & Fish Department, is mailing to County Clerks 5000 special deer tags which sell at \$1.50 for licensed resident hunters. Non-resident hunters must pay \$50.00 in addition to their non-resident hunting license which is \$10.00. During the 1934 deer season 1626 tags were sold.

Reports received by the State Game & Fish Department indicate that the deer herds are as numerous as usual in the deep wilderness haunts of the animals, and that with good hunting weather another record kill of four-point buck deer should be made.

"MURDER AT THE MICROPHONE"—An unusual short story by Curtis B. Leland — Will be found in the American Weekly.

the Magazine distributed with NEXT SUNDAY'S CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER. A new short story every Sunday!

FIRE IS STARTED WHEN WATER HEATER EXPLODES

The Charles Boyce home on School street was filled with smoke Tuesday afternoon when a glass container of a kerosene water heater in the basement was broken by an explosion. Coal oil released ran across the floor and ignited paper in a trash basket. No damage resulted, however, and firemen who were called put out the flames with a garden hose. The residence is owned by Fred Schorle.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30—Cutting off of direct relief to three more states—Indiana, Nevada, New Hampshire—because of work relief programs, was announced today by the federal emergency relief administration as it allocated \$61,720,000 for the October dole. Missouri's relief grant for the month was \$1,500,000.

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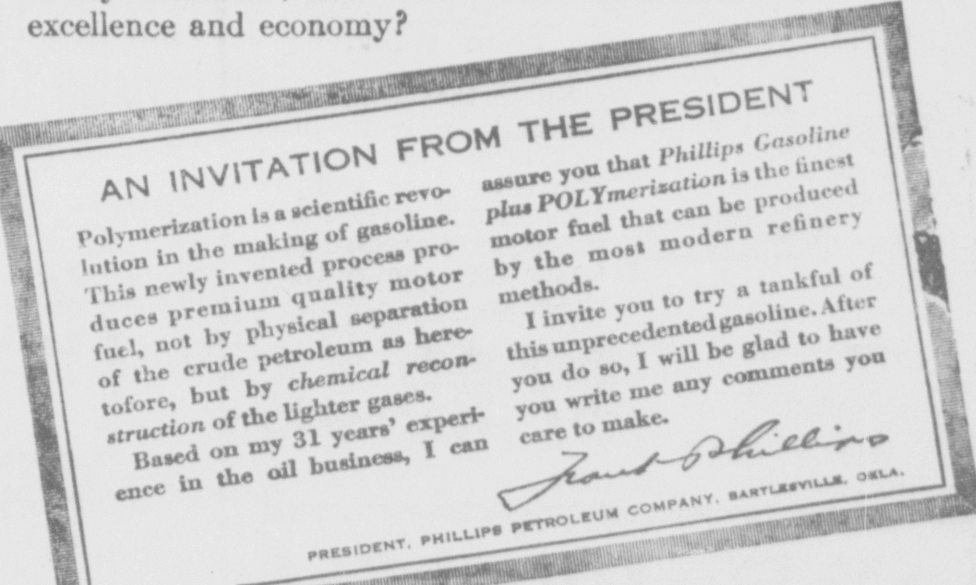


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Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. A. H. Reese, Mrs. Louis Farris and W. W. Lankford, Jr., were visitors to Cape Girardeau, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Meyer has been suffering from severe bruises, which she received when she fell down front steps at her home on last Sunday.

A perfectly good chance to meet old friends and acquaintances and enjoy the Bridge-pinochle party the ladies of the Catholic church are sponsoring at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

Mrs. Harry E. Dudley underwent an operation at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, Monday. Word received from Mr. Dudley, who was with his wife, stated that she was getting along nicely, and that he expected to return home Wednesday night.

Catholic Ladies, Bridge and Pinochle Party, Hotel Marshall October 3. Second of series. Not too late to compete for grand prizes.

Mrs. C. E. Brown and son of Hickman, Ky., are visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Malone. Mr. Brown is expected Saturday to accompany his family home.

Mrs. Maggie Jamison and Mrs. H. Freeland were dinner guests of Mrs. Paul Witt and Mrs. Nora Atherion, Route One, Wednesday.

Forget the hum-drum of life by enjoying a good bridge or pinochle game at Marshall Hotel October 3 sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

A. E. Shankle suffered a severe heart attack Monday night. He was reported to be improved yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Zacher received word this week that their son Z. W., Jr., who is attending Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., had made the Jabbawackey Society, which is the dramatic organization of the college, and also that he has the first clarinet position in the Westminster band.

Keep a place reserved in your date book for the Bridge-pinochle party sponsored by the Catholic Ladies at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

Mrs. W. L. Geggans and son, Howard, of Herbine, Ark., arrived Wednesday night to visit her sister, Mrs. J. H. Green.

The Tanner-Salcedo club held an all-day quilting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. B. Robinson,

with 14 present. A covered dish luncheon was served at 12 o'clock. The next meeting of the club will be held on Thursday afternoon, October 17, at the home of Mrs. Ivy Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Athel McConnell of near Sikeston announce the birth Sunday of a son whom they have named Athel McConnell, Jr.

A boy was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Combs of Sikeston route one.

Why stay at home when you can enjoy a delightful evening at the Catholic Ladies Bridge and Pinochle party at Marshall Hotel October 3?

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson are the parents of a boy, born Monday. He has been named William Howard Robertson.

Zell Meatie left last night for Chester, Ill., to take over dining room in tavern there owned by Chas. Clayton of Cape Girardeau. Mr. Clayton is owner of the Colonial Tavern, Cape Girardeau. Zell has had years of experience in this line of work, and no doubt will make a success at Chester.

EBERT-KREADY SOCIETY

The regular business meeting of the Ebert-Kready Missionary Society was held at the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Arch Russell, president, presided.

A nominating committee was appointed to select names for new officers.

It was also decided to hold a rummage sale on Saturday, October 26.

The sum of \$32.00 was reported made from birthday party held last month by the society.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. Arch Russell on Thursday afternoon, October 17, Mrs. G. W. Presnell, assistant hostess.

GLEANERS CLASS OFFICERS INSTALLED

The Gleaners Class held its meeting on Wednesday night at the Methodist church.

A business meeting was held, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. E. J. Keith. A report of the year's work was given.

Rev. E. H. Orear installed the new officers, namely: President, Mrs. Wade Shankle, vice-president, Mrs. Ben Ritter; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Chris Francis, and hostess, Mrs. Ruth Malone. After the installation, the new president, presented the retiring president, Mrs. Keith, with a gift in appreciation for her services rendered while in office.

A musical program, under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth, followed the business meeting. Those taking part on the program were: Sunday school orchestra, three numbers; violin duet, Katherine Ann Cook, and Bill Van Horne; vocal solo, Mrs. E. H. Orear; reading, Mrs. John Fox; piano, Mrs. R. A. Moore; reading, Mrs. Robert Mow.

Refreshments were served. On each plate, besides the refreshment, was a wrist corsage, made of flowers from the garden of Mrs. Keith.

This was a very enjoyable meeting and enjoyed by all present.

DIZZY SPURNS \$20,000, SEEKS \$27,500 IN 1936

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Oct. 2.—Dizzy Dean reportedly will demand \$27,500 from the St. Louis Cardinals next year. A local paper today quoted Dean as saying, "I was offered \$20,000, an increase of \$1,500, yesterday, and turned it down because I feel I'm entitled to a bigger raise than that. I won twenty-eight ball games, more than any other major league pitcher and it wasn't my fault we lost the pennant."

M. U. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE RANKS FIRST IN PRACTICAL RESEARCH

The University of Missouri recently was granted the unique distinction of ranking first in the United States in the practical efficiency of its agricultural research, according to an address quoted this month in the official publication of Iowa State College. "Missouri still leads in the highest accomplishment per dollar," says this authority.

The quotation is from an address of the president of Iowa State College to the members of the Iowa State College staff and is printed in their publication of September 18th, as follows:

"Throughout the Twenty-year Plan there are many expressions of need for larger funds. In the aggregate, I fear, these would reach appalling sums. Undoubtedly the next twenty years will see larger sums available to the college, and many of these needs will be met. I feel however, that with about \$3,000,000 in our budget at present, we have a real problem to be sure we are getting the largest possible return for each dollar we now spend.

"A representative of the United States Department of Agriculture has visited Ames each year I have been here, and in 1927 I asked him which of the experiment stations was doing the best work. He did not answer this question but did say that the University of Missouri Experiment Station accomplished more per dollar spent than any other. I asked him the same question this year, and he answered in the same way—Missouri still leads in the highest accomplishment per dollar—but he added that Iowa State ranks relatively high in this comparison. I am very ambitious to see our experiment station accomplish more per dollar than any other station in the country, even more than Missouri."

Point Barrow Natives Cut Ice for Winter Water Supply

POINT BARROW, Alaska, Oct. 1.—Natives of Point Barrow were preparing for the long Arctic winter today by cutting and storing ice from the Tundra lakes for a good water supply. There are no wells, springs or other sources of good water except that obtained from melted ice.

Three hundred tons of ice will be stored for the use of the Presbyterian mission and hospital, of which Dr. Henry Griest is in charge. Dr. Griest, Mrs. Griest, and others have been ill here for several weeks. The Griests have virtually recovered and most of the other patients discharged from the hospital.

An epidemic of gastro intestinal diseases swept the native population with the appearance of the elder duck flocks. Such illness is prevalent, Dr. Griest said, in the fall and spring, when the natives gorge themselves upon wild fowl. Since the ducks have flown south the general health of the natives has improved.

Building construction in Kansas City increased 70 per cent in August, 1935 over the same month in 1934. The estimated cost of the work covered was \$249,000 this year as compared with \$245,000 for August, 1934.

ARKANSAS AND MISSOURI MEN ENLIST IN U. S. NAVY

From August 20 to September 30, 1935 the U. S. Army Recruiting Service has sent 208 young men from Arkansas and southeastern Missouri to Ft. Riley and Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas for enlistment in the Army. These vacancies which have been the first available to this section of the country in over a year, were created by the recent increase in the Army voted by Congress. All the vacancies for Ft. Leavenworth have been filled. However, the Headquarters of the Army Recruiting Service at Little Rock, has received notice that approximately 400 further vacancies are available in the Cavalry, Field Artillery, Medical Corps and Engineers at Ft. Riley, Kansas. The main qualifications for enlistment without prior service are, limiting ages—18 to 35 years, at least 5 feet four inches in height and weight of 115 pounds, good moral

character, eighth grade education or better, citizen of the United States or legal declaration of intentions, and single without dependents. The nearest Army Recruiting Station for this vicinity is Post office building, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

OUTDOOR NEWS BRIEFS

Plans of landscape architects for development of Dr. Edmund A. Babler Memorial State Park, in western St. Louis County, were announced a few days ago. The park, larger than Forest Park in St. Louis, comprises 1412 acres lying south of Centaur Station, and adjoining Wild Horse Creek road. Babler Park was presented to the state more than a year ago and work of transforming the stretch of rolling wooded country has progressed so far that some of the facilities are now available to recreation seekers. At present two Civilian Conservation Corps camps are located in the park and

much preliminary work is underway such as the building of roads and trails and clearing of the grounds. Members of the Babler family announced last month that a perpetual trust fund had been set up for maintenance and development of the park.

"Quail are coming back in Missouri after several bad seasons," Marion F. Parker, Rod and Gun Editor of the St. Louis Globe Democrat, finds following a swing through central Missouri. Conditions are favorable with plenty of winter food in sight, he finds, but advises against heavy shooting this fall because of depleted coveys caused by three unfavorable years.

Ducks are beginning to come into the Lake-of-the-Ozarks and observers say quite a few hatchlings in the district. The larger varieties, however, are still up north.

During the fall of 1934 plans were inaugurated for the restocking of wild turkey in the Missouri National Forest, to prevent the extinction of one of the finest upland game birds in this part of the country. Increase in shooting of wild turkey in the state appears largely tied up with the development of state and federal forest game preserves. "Two reasons stand out for this," one sportsman recently pointed out. "One is that the wild turkeys are too easily domesticated and the other is illegal shooting, and the two are closely coupled." In the district where the restocking has taken place fine cooperation has been received, rangers say, but there are always a few who will not abide by the law and hunt during the regulated season; it is for these few that we need more adequate protection for our wild life.

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SMOKED SKINNED HAMS Sugar Cured Half or Whole lb. 28c

FRESH GROUND HAMBURGER 2 Pound 25c

Jack Salmon lb. 10c Fryers Dressed or on Foot

COUNTRY CLUB ROLL BUTTER Pound 26c

Fancy Sliced Breakfast Bacon No Rind No Waste LB. 39c

Swift's Dixie Bacon Squares Sugar Cured LB. 27c

BANANAS Golden Yellow Dozen 15c

Head Lettuce Large 5 dozen size HEAD 5c

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